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A SENATE SENSATION.

To Investigate an Attempt to Bribe Two Senators.

FORTUNES OFFERED FOR VOTES.

The Senators Not Personally Approached in the Matter, but the Evidence Against the Attempted Bribes Seems Complete. Mr. Gallinger Begins a Lengthy Speech.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, soon after the senate met yesterday, introduced a resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee of five senators to investigate charges of attempted bribery of senators in connection with the pending tariff bill. The resolution was laid over.

It is learned definitely that certain senators have received intimations that a money consideration could be secured for their votes against the tariff bill. The negotiations apparently have gone no further than intimations to the effect. Senators Kyle and Hunton. These intimations came from a North Dakota man who is known as a lobbyist on several schemes. He was formerly a member of congress.

The amount which it was intimated Senator Kyle could receive was $10,000, and $7,500 was to be returned by the man making the negotiations as a compensation. Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Kyle's clerk, says the matter never went any further than an intimation. He promptly informed Mr. Kyle. The latter is now in South Dakota, but will return to Washington on Saturday.

Senator Hunton talked freely about the attempt made to bribe him to vote against the tariff bill, although he said that he is very sorry the matter had become public at the time it did. The matter first came to his attention about a month ago through a letter from him dated at Warrenton, Va., the home of the senator. He immediately laid the matter before six or eight of his most intimate friends in the senate, that they might know what was going on.

He never saw the man who offered the bribe, and declines to give his name. All the negotiations if the proceedings could be called such, were conducted through his son. The man went to Warrenton early in April, carrying a letter of introduction from a man whom Mr. Hunton did not know any better than the man he introduced. He proposed to pay Senator Hunton $5,000 for his opposition to the tariff bill, and young Mr. Hunton immediately informed his father of the proposition.

"Do you think the proposition was made in earnest?" the senator was asked.

"My son is satisfied that it was, and, furthermore, was satisfied that $100,000 would be paid if it had appeared that that sum would have secured the coveted vote."

Mr. Hunton said that the negotiator did not say whom he represented.

Senator Lodge when asked after adjournment for an explanation of his resolution for an investigation of the reported attempt to bribe said:

"I know nothing of the matter personally, but the statement is specific and coming so soon as it does after the publication of the alleged efforts of the sugar trust to influence legislation by unfair means I have thought that a committee should be appointed to inquire into the whole subject. It is my opinion that if such work is going on all the facts should be known and my only purpose in presenting the resolution is to bring them out."

Ex-Representative W. Butts of Buffalo, N. Y., whose name is mentioned in connection with the alleged attempt to purchase the vote of Senators Kyle and Hunton on the tariff bill, has determined to ask a full investigation at the hands of the senate of the charges made against him. Major Butts issued a general denial of the charges against him and told Senator Hunton that he wanted a personal investigation as speedily as possible.

The senate wasted through two more paragraphs comprising thirteen pages of the tariff bill yesterday. The actual consideration of the schedules did not begin until almost 1 o'clock. Two hours after the bill was taken up were occupied by Mr. Gallinger in the delivery of the preliminary chapters of a set tariff speech which he announced included a history of American tariff legislation from the time the Pilgrim fathers first set foot on Plymouth Rock. Three Republican senators, Messrs. Quay, Dolph and Gallinger, now have pertinent of long endurance speeches in readiness to be used to case the Republicans receive upon a last ditch fight. Whether the Republicans will persevere in their present policy, seek to defeat the bill by strategy, or decide to allow the majority to pass the bill if they can muster a sufficient number of votes is the unknown and undetermined question in the senate situation.

As a result of the uncertainty as to the Republican attitude Senator Harris this morning called up his resolution for 10 o'clock sessions. This precipitated a spirited debate, which is liable to last until adjournment.

In the house the agricultural appropriation bill was taken up at an early hour, and about two-thirds of the bill was considered. Only two amendments increasing appropriations were made, one for $500 to continue the experiments with flax and hemp in the state of Washington and the other increasing the appropriation for the purchase and distribution of seed from $125,000 to $160,000.

Some Foolish Mothers

Let their babies cry with Colic, giving mother no rest night or day. How foolish, when Dr. Hand's Colic Cure gives immediate relief to baby. It removes wind from the stomach, quiets the nerves and gives restful sleep. Mother, send to day to your drug store for a 25c. bottle. Think of the weary hours it saves you. If baby's gums are sore, teething, use Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion. At all druggists, 25 cents.

THE PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY

The Fourth Count Has Three Candidates for the Office of Moderator.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 17.—The hundred and sixth general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States began at this place this morning. The organization of the body and the delivery of the sermon of the moderator occupied the morning session, but that which is occupying general attention will come into this afternoon—the choice of a new moderator.

Moderatorship talk is now the order of the hour, and one hears constantly of new candidates. The Pacific coast is said to be particularly prolific in this line, having no less than three men mentioned, but their chances are generally believed to be very slight. The rumor names them as Dr. Arthur J. Brown of Portland, Ore., Dr. H. C. Minton of San Francisco and Dr. John W. Dillmore of San Jose. Philadelphia has a candidate who has been mentioned on previous occasions and who is by no means unknown in the church at large—Dr. Samuel A. Matchmore, editor of The Presbyterian. New York state also has a candidate in the person of the moderator of the state synod Dr. James Gardiner of Gloversville. It is all probability the contest is to be between Drs. Gardiner and Matchmore with the odds in favor of the former unless the well known literary spirit of the synod of New York can be made to take a more active interest in the matter.

Georgia Populists

ATLANTA, Ga., May 17.—The state convention of the People's party of Georgia is in session here. The convention is characterized by its very large attendance and extreme enthusiasm. It is evident that so far from the party's going to pieces in this state Ex-Congressman Tom Watson predicts. The platform pronounces the Omaha platform of the party entire, favors the doing away with the present contract system in Georgia. This afternoon the state ticket will be nominated. It is pretty certain Judge J. K. Hines, a prominent lawyer of this city, will be the candidate for the governorship. The Populists would prefer to have Watson run for governor, but he intends to be a candidate for congress in the Tenth district, which he represented in the Fifty-second congress.

The Boston Conflagration.

BOSTON, May 17.—Despite the fact that the section burned over by Tuesday's fire covers an area of from ten to twelve acres, on which stood nearly 800 buildings which served as dwellings for about 1,600 or 2,000 people, the actual loss in real estate will be comparatively small. This is due to the peculiarly cheap class of buildings which were erected in this neighborhood. From an insurance standpoint the loss will not be a heavy one, considering the immense territory burned over. The most conservative among the insurance men set the figures as low as $500,000, while the limit of those who took the worst view of the situation is $800,000.

Congressional Returns Defeated.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Counsel for [illegible] and Jones, the leaders of [illegible] army, have made application to Justice Bradley for a writ of [illegible] to take them out of the police [illegible] and to the supreme court [illegible] for review. Arguments will be heard by Representative Hudson, of [illegible], and Attorney Hymen for the defendants, and unless the case went over until tomorrow meanwhile an understanding has been arrived at by which the sentence of the defendants in the police court, which was to have taken place today, will be postponed pending Judge Bradley's decision.

Revolting Murder in Dallas.

DALLAS, Tex., May 17.—A most revolting case of wife murder has been unearthed here. The wife of L. H. Williams, an upholsterer on McKinney avenue and Harwood street, disappeared suddenly. The neighbors informed the church, who finally arrested Williams and Dick Johnson, a negro employe, and visited the home of Williams. Near the stairway earth was removed and two feet below the surface was found the body of Mrs. Williams, with her throat cut. Johnson has confessed that Williams killed his wife and hired him and another negro to make away with the body.

Rutgers Students Suspended.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., May 17.—The faculty announced the punishment in the cases of the varsity Rutgers sophomores, Wesley W. Durden of New York, was suspended for the remainder of the term, and William R. Burtis, of Freehold, N. J., will not be permitted to resume his studies until next Thanksgiving. He received a heavier sentence on account of previous insubordinations. Both students were notified to leave town, and were given a noisy send off by the students.

Gilmore's Aromatic Wine.

A tonic for ladies. If you are suffering from weakness, and feel exhausted and nervous; are getting thin and all run down, Gilmore's Aromatic Wine will bring roses to your cheeks and restore you to flesh and plumpness. Mothers, use it for your daughters. It is the best regulator and corrector for all ailments peculiar to maidenhood. It promotes digestion, enriches the blood and gives lasting strength. Sold by all druggists for $1.00.

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KELLY'S MEN IN A FIGHT

It Is Precipitated by the Over Officiousness of Deputies.

OTTAWA, Ill., May 17.—There is intense excitement in Ladd over Kelly's army. As a test vote company drawn up in line the citizens called it to have for the purpose of giving the men buttermilk. Immediately deputy sheriffs from Rock Island rushed down to prevent a landing. Some one threw a stone at the Kelly men breaking the ribs of one man and rendering another unconscious.

Another lot of Kellyites attempted to land on the east bank of the river the camp being on the west side. The deputies endeavored to prevent a landing and a pitched battle followed. Conductor Charles Martin was struck on the head with a club and it is thought his skull was fractured. The people generally blame the deputies. When the row was on Kelly's men in camp rowed hastily across, but Kelly ordered them all back to camp.

Big Fire at Pemberton, N. J.

PEMBERTON, N. J., May 17.—The entire town of Pemberton came near being destroyed by a fire yesterday afternoon, which consumed over $40,000 worth of property before it was extinguished. The fire originated in a stable in one of the back streets, and spread with great rapidity. The local fire department consists of but one hand engine, which was totally inadequate to cope with the rapidly spreading flames. Telegrams were sent to Mt. Holly and Burlington for assistance and both responded promptly, rendering good service. With their help the flames were got under control. Twelve houses were wholly or partially destroyed.

A Condemned Murderer Escapes.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 17.—Between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning Orange Page and nine other negro prisoners broke jail here and made good their escape. Page is under sentence of death for the murder of a colored woman, and was to be executed June 14. The prisoners broke up an iron bed-stead and battered a hole through the jail wall, through which they escaped. They kept up singing to drown their noise, and suspicion was not awakened.

Evangelist Moody's Daughter Married.

EAST NORTHFIELD, Mass., May 17.—At 9 o'clock last evening in the Congregational church, Miss Emma Reynolds Moody, daughter of Evangelist Dwight L. Moody, was united in marriage to Arthur Percy Fitt, of Chicago. They left on one of the evening trains for a bridal tour. Later in the season they will make their home in Chicago, where Mr. Fitt is Mr. Moody's representative at the famous training school.

Opposing a German Protectorate.

LONDON, May 17.—A despatch from Melbourne says the premier of Victoria makes the statement that the delegates of the colony to the colonial conference at Ottawa will oppose a German protectorate in Samoa and will support the New Zealand proposal that Great Britain establish a protectorate in the islands or that their control be given to New Zealand.

Serious Charge Against an Ex-Policeman.

BALTIMORE, May 17.—Thomas Fitzgerald, an ex police officer, was held for court by Police Justice Hobbs, of the southwestern district charged with attempted criminal assault on Mrs. Annie Campbell, of 112 West Lombard street. Fitzgerald was discharged from the force by reason of a similar encounter with the wife of Officer Atkinson.

Valuable Stallion Cremated.

CARROLLTON, Ky., May 17.—Lightning struck the barn of James L. Bennett, of this county one mile east of this place and destroyed the same, together with seven finely bred horses. Among the horses was the standard bred stallion General Lane, for which $5,000 had been refused.

All Hands Drowned.

COWES, Isle of Wight, May 17.—News reached the Royal Yacht squadron that the cutter Valkyrie, formerly belonging to Lord Dunraven, after which yacht the famous Valkyrie was named, was foundered off the coast of Africa, all those on board of her being drowned.

Gates Wins in Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 17.—Conventions in sixty-three counties yesterday and primaries in three have settled the question of the Democratic nomination for governor. Official reports give Oates 255 and Johnston 225. There is now no question of Oates nomination.

Fire Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. It disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums and reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

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MILLIONS SWEPT AWAY

Destructive Floods in Minnesota and Wisconsin.

HOUSES AND BRIDGES WRECKED.

The Loss in Chippewa Valley Alone Is Estimated at Forty Two Millions of Dollars—Several Bridges Gone and Railroad Traffic Interrupted.

MILWAUKEE, May 17.—The wall of water sweeping down Black River valley struck River Falls at 1 o'clock in the morning. The fire alarm bells were rung and the residents hurried from their homes to the side of those living in the path of the flood. The dam of the pearle mill checked the rush of water for a few minutes, but the wall of stone could not withstand the pressure and the dam gave way. Two big bridges were carried away. Several small buildings followed. Many saw mills in the west were also destroyed. Another large bridge went down.

Foster's saw mill was in the path of the flood and was suffered. The damage at the Prairie mill is $5,000, and at Fortune's mill is $4,000. Railroad lines suffered severely from washouts. All the families on the low lands were rescued.

The immense dam across Black river, near Black River Falls, was in danger, and the west wing was blown up to save the remainder of the structure. Thirteen a great flood down the valley to Black River Falls.

The mill district of Glenwood is a scene of wreck and ruin. The big dam of the Glenwood Manufacturing company was carried away, with several hundred thousand feet of logs. Every bridge on the entire length of Tiffany creek is gone.

Many dwellings in the lower part of the village are under water. At Chippewa Falls and north toward Bloomer the valley is under water.

The flood loss in the Chippewa valley is now estimated at $2,000,000. At Bloomer the boom owners all planing mill, bridges, cribs and 5,000,000 feet of logs were carried away. In Chippewa Falls damage was done to the extent of $500,000 to streets, bridges and other property. The city suffers the loss of the gas works and five bridges, traffic with the Omaha road being cut off. Bridgewater avenue, River, Lower Bridge and Spring streets are flooded, together with buildings on the streets, and a number of buildings are afloat.

At Chippewa City, six miles north of Chippewa Falls the sawmill, dam, barns, lumber yards, and 10 feet, almost the whole city, are completely washed out, together with 6,000,000 feet of logs. Chippewa river is ten feet above low water mark, but the worst has not come yet, as reports are that Little Falls dam and Flambeau dam have given way, which, if true, will raise the river fifteen feet more, completely flooding the business part of the city.

ST. PAUL, May 17.—Severe storms in the nature of a cloudburst extending over about twenty-five miles of territory, with St. Paul on the western edge of the storm, did terrible damage. River Falls, Wis., reports a dam burst and three bridges washed away, the damage on the dam alone at least $50,000. New Richmond, Wis., reports trains unable to run on account of washouts. Mrs. William Brenton, of Erin Prairie, was killed and others severely injured by lightning.

At Richmond, Minn., several houses were undermined by the storm and let down into a gully thirty feet deep. The yard and shops of the penitentiary were flooded with sand, and the loss to the state will be heavy. Big rocks from the hillside were loosened and one crushed in the roof and wall of the fishing warehouse. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

Word from Menomonie, Wis., states that the Red river is rising rapidly. Word from Rice lake says the water could not be held and the dam was opened. The dam at Cedar Falls has given way and now the river is rising and threatening. At Menomonie it is feared that the dam cannot stand the combined strain.

Bicycle Betting Detectives.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 17.—There has been no trouble among the striking brick workers at Decker's Junction since yesterday morning when there was some rowdy behavior for a short time. As soon as the news of further board that the sheriff was on his way to the scene they scattered. Warrants have been issued for ten of the rioters in the past. Two of them have been arrested. One of the prisoners is named McGrath and another is an Irish American, who led the attack on the foreman of Tenney's yard. The others are said to be in hiding. A number of special deputy sheriffs are guarding the yard.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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BIG FIRE IN PAWTUCKET.

Fifty Thousand Tons of Coal on Fire—The Loss Half a Million.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 17.—The sky was illuminated last night by a blaze from fully 70,000 tons of coal consumed in a disastrous fire on the river front yesterday afternoon. A conservative estimate places the loss at $500,000. The fire started from a spark wafted from a plumber's kettle to the barn of the Newell Coal and Lumber company, whose entire property it is said. The flames communicated with the coal and lumber yards of Olney and Payne Bros. and their stock and structures were totally consumed. The flames next started across the river, enveloping in their path the coal and lumber yards of the J. T. Cottrell company and the City Coal company, which were heavily stocked and are also heavy lessees. Three tenement houses were destroyed, and the tenants barely saved their effects. A grocery building on Lumber street was also destroyed. The schooner A. M. Hopkins was driven to the water's edge.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES

National League.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10, New York, 1. At Boston—Boston 19, Baltimore 4. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 9, Washington 3. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 2, Chicago 0. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 6, St. Louis 5. At Cincinnati—Louisville 9, Cincinnati, 7.

Eastern League.

At Binghamton—Springfield, 14; Binghamton, 3. At Wilkesbarre 12, innings—Wilkesbarre 13, Providence, 9. At Buffalo—Buffalo 14, Syracuse, 7.

Pennsylvania State League.

At Altoona—Altoona, 4, Easton, 3. At Reading—Reading, 7, Scranton, 5. At Pottsville—Pottsville, 17, Hazleton, 14. At Harrisburg—Harrisburg, 9, Allentown, 0. Allentown refused to play the last half of the tenth inning, when the score was 11 to 6 in favor of Harrisburg and the umpire gave the game to the home team.

College League.

At Bethlehem—University of Pennsylvania, 17, Lehigh, 0.

Fatally Burned While Playing Indian.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Bertram Curtin, an 11-year-old boy, was fatally burned Monday afternoon while playing circus with a number of his little friends. He lingered in great agony until yesterday when death came to his relief. The circus was held in the rear of his father's house, and young Curtin took the part of an Indian, wearing a costume of trappings, such as is used in covering the chests. He figured in a scene showing the destruction by fire of some ancient city, and it was in this that his light costume caught fire and he was burned.

Wife Murder and Suicide.

OSWEGO, N. Y., May 17.—Alanson Hyatt, 58 years old, and his family moved several years ago from his farm to Clark street, Waverly, to allow a daughter to attend school. Subsequently Hyatt wanted to move back to the farm, but his wife refused, and they lived apart. Yesterday Hyatt went to his wife's home, and with a knife stabbed her four times. Then he cut his own throat and died immediately. Mrs. Hyatt died soon after.

Quadruple Suicide.

VIENNA, May 17.—An estate named Kellner and his three unmarried sisters attended divine service in the Church of Maria Lanzendorf, and returned to the hotel where they resided. There they committed suicide by taking cyanide of potassium. They left a letter explaining that they had taken their own lives, fearing that they might outlive one another. To this they preferred to die together. All were over 50 years of age.

Brazilian Troops Defeated.

LISBON, May 17.—A despatch from Rio de Janeiro says that the Brazilian government forces under command of Generals Jan and Tupe have been defeated in a battle with the insurgents near Ignuan, on the river of that name, which divides the states of Rio Pardo and Rio Grande do Sul. The federals had 140 men killed in the engagement.

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Personal.

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THE MINE CONFERENCE

Employers and Employed Having a Hard Time to Agree.

A CONFERENCE COMMITTEE CHOSEN.

The Workers Demand a Restoration of the Old Rate, While the Operators Submit a Sixty-five Cent Rate for Pennsylvania and Forty-six Cents for Ohio.

CLEVELAND, May 17.—Before the afternoon session of the miners' convention a conference committee of miners and operators, appointed at the morning session, held a joint meeting in the chamber of commerce. The miners submitted their demand, which was a restoration of the old rate. The operators offered a sixty-five cent rate for Pennsylvania and fifty-six cents for Ohio. President John McBride made a strong speech, saying that the miners would never agree to a settlement on this basis.

Meantime the joint committee remained in session until 4 o'clock last evening, when an adjournment was taken. It was announced that no agreement had been reached. The miners refused to recede from their demand for a restoration of the old rate and the operators, in the absence of instructions, could make no concessions. The operators held another meeting last evening to determine whether they shall make an offer to settle the strike. The result of their deliberations was not given out.

Aid for the Coke Strikers.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., May 17.—The strikers made great gains yesterday about Uniontown and in the northern end of the region. Only about a dozen men were at work at the Kyle plant, the others fearing to return on account of the presence of the strikers encamped near the works. The strikers offered no violence. Southwest plants 3 and 4 are shut down, and many other works are crippled. The national organization has notified the strikers that $5,000 will be sent into the region every week from now on until the matter is settled.

Maryland Miners Losing Ground.

CUMBERLAND, Md., May 17.—Hoffman, Eckart, Allegany and Ocean mines went to work as usual yesterday with a larger force of men than on Tuesday. Each day the number increases. The outcome of the Cleveland conference is the sole topic here, although the miners understand that the Maryland operators do not intend to be bound by its action. Sheriff King and his deputies keep constant watch over the region, and will continue to do so until all danger is past.

The Strike Affects Canada.

HAMILTON, May 17.—The strike of bituminous coal miners is seriously affecting large industries here, as coal sufficient to run engines is not obtainable. The Ontario Rolling mill is forced to close next week, and at present is employing about 100 men instead of the usual force of 350 men. Most of the other factories are nearly out of coal, but some are burning wood and hard coal.

Miners Refuse an Offer.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 17.—The miners in the Hillsdale and Broad Top regions, who were offered fifty cents per ton for mining coal by three of the leading operators, have firmly refused to accept the offer and go to work. The operators say they will not renew the offer.

Men Unionists Prevented from Working.

WHEELING, W. Va., May 17.—A hundred striking miners marched to Elm Grove mines and prevented the non-union men from going to work. They stops the only mine on the railroad between here and Pittsburg. The non-union men were afterward taken into the mines.

Five Hundred Miners Return.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., May 17.—Hickory Ridge colliery resumed work this morning after an idleness of three months, giving employment to 500 men and boys. The Enterprise miners in the Shamokin district will work all week.

John Gaudaur the Winner.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 17.—The second day of the great international regatta was a grand success. Fully 5,000 people witnessed it. The principal event of the day was the professional quarter mile dash straightaway for a $500 purse. The participants were John Gaudaur, E. Durnan, Ed Rogers, J. J. Ross, Harry Parker, H. Peterson, John Tanner, George Hosmer and Fred Plimsol. The race was a terrible one, the men bending to their oars with such force that they made the boats fairly leap out of the water. Gaudaur gained the lead at the start and held it down to the finish, though Peterson pushed him very hard, coming in a close second. Time, 1.14½.

It May Do As Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Prices only 50c. for large bottle at McMenagle & Rogers's Drug store.

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We refer by permission to a few of our patients.

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Cooper DeGraw, ex-Coroner, Middletown.
William Brown, 49 Sprague Ave., "
Wm. Nevins, Argus Office, "
M. H. Dugan, " "
Georgie Morris, 157 Monhagen Ave., "
Lee T. Writer, Pine Island.
Grant Terwilliger, Middletown.
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TELLING STORIES

I know of a boy that's sleepy.
I can tell it by the nodding head
And the eyes that cannot stay open
While the good night prayer is said.
And the whispered "Tell a 'tory,"
Said in such a drowsy way,
Makes me hear the bells of Dreamland,
That ring at close of day.

So you want a story, darling!
What shall the story be?
Of Little Boy Blue in the haystack
And the sheep he fails to see
As they nibble the meadow clover
While the cows are in the corn?
Oh, Little Boy Blue, wake up, wake up,
For the farmer blows his horn.

Or shall it be the story
Of Little Bopeep I tell
And the sheep he lost and mourned for
As if awful fate befell?
But there was no need of sorrow,
For the pet that went astray,
Since, left alone, he came back home
In his own good time and way.

Oh, the pigs that went to market!
That's the tale for me to tell.
The great big pig and the little pigs
And the wee, wee pig as well.
Here's the big pig—what a beauty!
But not half as cunning is he
As this little tot of a baby pig
That can only say "Wee wee!"

Just look at the baby, bless him!
The little rogue's fast asleep.
I might have stopped telling stories
When I got to Little Bopeep.
Oh, little one, how I love you!
You are so dear, so fair!
Here's a good night kiss, my baby.
God have you in his care!

—Eben E. Rexford in Youth's Companion.

THAT STOUT MAN.

In the city of Brussels a great deal of very pretty lace is exposed for sale. English women admire this lace and buy it. If they go straight from Belgium to England, they can take it home without having to pay any duty, but if they pass through France they have to pay on all their new Brussels lace at the French custom house. And many English women pass through France on their way from Belgium to England, because they prefer the short passage from Calais to Dover to the longer one from Ostend.

The Misses Wylie were charming, middle aged ladies, fond of travel, fond of dress, fond of lace and very bad sailors. They had been excursioning in Germany, had come down the Rhine and had spent a week in Brussels. More attractive than the field of Waterloo and more fascinating than the Musee Wiertz was the Galerie St. Hubert. Miss Melissa Wylie could not resist the white Brussels lace; Miss Annora Wylie could not resist the black. Each of the ladies bought; led on by the tempter, in the shape of a seductive shop woman, the Misses Wylie bought lace fichus, lace collarettes, lace by the meter. Day by day they added to their stock.

At length it was necessary to make for England and to pass through that dreadful France with its protective duties. Then they realized their position. How about the lace?

"We cannot conscientiously say," remarked Miss Melissa, "that we have rien a declarer (nothing to declare) because this lace is dutiable."

"And we dare not risk packing it," returned Miss Annora, "because they might take it into their heads to examine our boxes."

"How can we get it through?" mused the elder sister.

"We must get it through!" declared the younger sister.

Presently Annora exclaimed: "I have it! We will wear it! No duty is paid on what one is wearing."

"Yes, yes," said Melissa, "but how can we wear it? The white will get soiled and the black torn in traveling. Besides, if it looks unnatural, as it would on our dresses and mantles, the officials will be sure to notice it."

"It would not look unnatural on our bonnets," said Annora.

They set to work to decorate their bonnets with the lace. They mingled white and black, fichu and flounce, in the most skillful manner, and though the bonnets looked somewhat overdone, yet they carried the lace, and it was probable that the male eyes of the custom house officials would not notice anything abnormal.

The Misses Wylie rejoiced in their cleverness. They sat in the train on their way to France with clear consciences and light hearts. They had rien a declarer—nothing dutiable. In the compartment with them was only one other passenger, a stout man of good humored aspect, evidently, from his extreme flabby stoutness and his extreme good humor, a middle class German. Now, Germans who understand English are very sociable with their English fellow travelers. As this German did not address the Misses Wylie, they felt sure that he did not understand English, and they talked freely to each other.

"I suppose," said Melissa, "that my bonnet looks all right? It does not strike the eyes as being too much trimmed, eh, Annora?"

"Well," said Annora, laughing, "it is too much trimmed for good taste, but then on this occasion you have had taste. What about mine?"

"Oh, quite artistic, 'a study in black and white,' as the artists say."

The ladies laughed together, full of glee at their coming triumph over the custom house officers. The German wore the fatuous grin affected by people who listen to a language which they do not understand.

At last the train slowed into Blandain station, the frontier. Out jumped the Misses Wylie with their hand baggage. They calmly awaited the approach of the officers. Our lundered the German with his fatuous smile. He sauntered up to one of the chief of the douane.

"Rien a declarer," said both ladies.

"Eau de cologne, dentelles, tabac, spirituenx" (cologne water, lace, tobacco, spirits), the officer ran off.

"Rien, rien," said the Misses Wylie.

The man said nothing more, and the ladies, expecting the cry of, "Et voiture, s'il vous plait!" felt extremely happy.

But at that moment the official to whom the German had been speaking came up to them and said, in very fair English, "The ladies are fond of lace?"

Their hearts sank within them. "Rather," they conceded.

"And to carry it on the bonnet is a convenient manner of avoiding the duty."

They were undone!

"But we are wearing it!" screeched Annora. Melissa panted

"Mesdames, I admire your ingenuity, but such an amount of new lace cannot be passed even on your bonnets. Two, three, five meters," he went on, measuring the unlucky lace with his eye, "fichu, flounce, etc. So many francs or I confiscate it."

"En voiture, s'il vous plait!" was heard.

The sum demanded by the officer added to what they had paid in purchase would have made the lace the dearest that ever was bought. They tore off their bonnets, pulled out innumerable pins, set free the fichus, flounces, etc., put them into the officer's hands and ran to their seats. Out of breath and out of pocket, they were most unhappy. Successful cheating is one thing, but unsuccessful cheating is another and causes sharp pangs of conscience.

"Too bad!" cried Melissa as the train moved on. "We were entitled to what we wore."

"It was that German," said Annora. "He understood English. He heard what we said. He told the official. Oh, a man may grin and grin and be a villain!"

They groaned over their misfortune. The first time the train stopped the villain entered their compartment, still grinning. They glared at him, but he still grinned. They took refuge in silence. He began to speak:

"Ladies," he said in Londonese English, "I was very sorry to have to incur your displeasure, but I felt that it was my duty to report you at the douane. You had innocently told me all about the lace on your bonnets, and for the credit of our country, for the sake of English honesty, I was constrained to point out your bonnets to that official. Can you forgive me?"

"No," said Annora.

But Melissa thought that, notwithstanding his wicked cruelty, there was something very pleasant in his smile.

"I entreat your forgiveness, ladies; more, I humbly ask a favor."

"Sir?" exclaimed Annora.

"Miss Wylie, Miss Annora Wylie"—the presuming wretch had seen their names on their luggage, even their Christian names—"you will confer a great favor on me if you will tell me your address."

Annora reddened; Melissa blushed. Perhaps he was ashamed of the cruel part he had played and was about to offer an apology; perhaps their brave and gentle endurance of misfortune had touched him; perhaps their charms had so won upon him that he wished to see more of them, with a view to—their suppositions broke off rapidly.

Annora looked at Melissa, and Melissa looked at Annora. Then the elder sister spoke. "We live at 113 Angelina gardens, Edwin square, South Kensington, S. W."

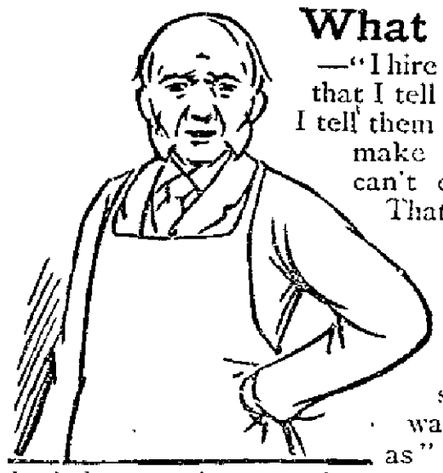
The stranger made a note of the address. Melissa was on the point of asking his name when he said abruptly, "You shall hear from me." Then he discoursed on the country through which they were passing, after which he buried himself in a Figaro and talked no more. At the next stoppage he said a brusque "Good morning, ladies," and left the compartment, and they saw no more of him.

There was a considerable flutter in the breast of Melissa, who was of a romantic turn of mind, and who could only imagine one reason why this stranger should want her address. She still believed that he was a German who spoke English remarkably well, and she had seen that he was not a gentleman; she therefore made up her mind to refuse the offer of marriage which no doubt he would shortly make.

Arrived in Angelina gardens, the Misses Wylie were occupied in arranging the household, and a couple of busy days were spent by them. On the third day after their home coming they received by the same post a parcel and a letter. Annora opened the carefully tied and sealed parcel, while Melissa read the letter. Having read it once to herself, she next read it aloud to her sister:

MESDAMES—I felt myself under a very great obligation to you the other day at Blandain. I am a very thin man, but I was swathed round with hundreds of yards of fine Brussels lace, and I thought that the best way of drawing the attention of the custom house officers from myself was to draw it to you. It was purely in self defense that I directed the raid on your bonnets. Having been the cause of the loss of your lace, I wish to make you due compensation, and I beg leave to send you some finer lace than that which you lost. I am obediently yours, YOUR STOUT FELLOW TRAVELLER.

Melissa took possession of a black lace flounce and Annora of a dozen yards of white lace and a lace edged handkerchief, and they quite forgave the stout German for his cruelty and for his stoutness.—F. Bayard Harrison in Strand Magazine.



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HOW BIG WAS ALEXANDER?

"How big was Alexander, pa?"
No need quote any more;
How well we know the verses
And the moral that they bore!

The little boy was seeking
After knowledge, in his way,
And little boys are asking
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They are right. To know of great men,
How they live and work, will tell
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15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

N. Y. L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning Nov. 19th, '93, and continuing until further notice:

EAST BOUND.

NO	JAMES ST	MAIN ST
12, Chicago Express	4:36 a m	
10, Buffalo Express	5:41 "	
26, Middletown Way, T	6:34 "	6:36 a m
16, Orange Co., G M	7:10 "	7:12 "
28, Mountain Express	8:23 "	8:25 "
38, Del Valley Express, G M P	10:31 "	
6, Way Mail, G (ex Sunday)	12:59 p m	
2, Chicago Express	2:43 "	
30, Way, M P G T	4:43 "	4:45 p m
8, Chicago Limited	7:12 "	
18, Milk	7:53 "	
14, Wells-Fargo Express	10:43 "	
606, Pt Jervis Local (Sun only)	8:23 a m	8:25 a m
626, Port Jervis Local	5:15 p m	
128, M & C Branch, arrive		8:15 a m
130, M & C Branch, arrive		5:55 p m

WEST BOUND.

NO	JAMES ST	MAIN ST
17, Milk	7:47 a m	
21, Port Jervis Way	10:43 "	10:39a m
1, Day Express	11:29 "	
31, Port Jervis Local	1:04 p m	1:07p m
33, Port Jervis Local	3:40 "	3:37 "
15, Chicago Limited	5:02 "	
27, Mountain Express	6:40 "	6:38 "
15, Orange County	6:50 "	6:45 "
25, Middletown Way, arrives	7:39 "	7:34 "
7, C & G T Express	8:37 "	
29, Emigrant	9:41 "	
3, Chicago Express	11:02 "	
601, Pt Jervis Way (Sun only)	10:43a m	10:40 a m
625, " " "	8:19 p m	8:16 p m
617, " " "	9:42 "	
101, M & C Branch train	11:35a m	11:40a m
115, " "		6:55 p m

Trains marked with a ‖ run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 606, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. ‖ Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof; due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters affixed, indicate connections, viz: "G," with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T," with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M," with Montgomery Branch; "P," with Pine Island Branch

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Milk for Norwich	7:45 a m
Milk and Pass for Livingston Manor	7:45 "
Ontario Day Express and Mail	10:45 "
Express for Ellenville and Rockland	6:15 p m
Night Express for Oswego	10:50 "

GOING SOUTH.

Atlantic Express	4:45 a m
Sullivan County Express	7:55 "
Day Express	4:20 p m
Milk	6:45 "
Milk	7:50 "

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The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at Tuthill's pharmacy, 27 James street. dtf

MONTGOMERY.

Father and Child Buried in the Same Grave—The Band's Successful Entertainment—Trotting on Decoration Day.

Correspondence Argus and Mercury

—John Stack, who for many years was a resident of this place, but who moved to Passaic, N. J., about four years ago, died at his home there, Friday, of consumption, from which he had suffered for the past year. He conducted a blacksmith shop here on Union street for five years, and had many friends. His four-months old child died, Sunday afternoon, and the two bodies were brought here, on Monday, and buried together, from St. Mary's Church, in St. Mary's Cemetery. He leavus a wife and one child.

—A new stoop has been placed in front of the residence of Mr. John Baildon, on Union street. It adds much to the appearance of his home

—The Killworth Mills Band, accompanied by the Misses Benjamin and Armstrong, of Middletown, gave a concert in Academy Hall, Tuesday evening, before a large audience. Some selected home talent also assisted the band. The affair was a grand success, both socially and financially, the proceeds being over $60. The money will be used to repair the band stand and make it fit for occupancy.

—Our base ball season is soon to open

—The trotting season will open on the track here on Decoration Day The following are the entries: 2.50 class, purse $25, sweepstakes for stallions—P, Hasbrouck, Prince Clark; William Lodze, Captain Ly; Simon Walsh, Dexter Prince Also a road race for a set of harness, blanket and whip, heats best three in five; entries to close at noon on day of race, to T. L. Enger.

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Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending May 14, 1894:

LADIES.

Dietsch, Miss Mamie	Pitts, Miss Lizzie
Lee, Mrs. John	Sly, Mrs. Harriet
Mo'arter Mrs. J. H.	VanKouren, Miss Ella
Miller, Miss Ellie	Vernon, Miss S. B
McKnight Mrs. J. L.	

GENTLEMEN.

Barber Thos G.	Newsome, Fred
Creaghy, George	Owen Con
Curtis Rev. E.	Ramsey, Cyrus
Dei'son, Walter	Iverson, John N.
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Breckinridge's Appeal Bond Filed.

WASHINGTON May 17—Colonel W. C. P Breckinridge the defendant in the suit recently won by Miss Madeline V. Pollard, yesterday filed his appeal bond The bond is for $100 and the defendant's brother, Joseph C Breckinridge appears as surety The purpose of the bond is to secure the costs of the appeal noted by Colonel Breckinridge to the court of appeals It is hardly probable that the case will be heard by it before next fall

Consul General Edwards Dead.

BERLIN, May 17.—W. H. Edwards, United States consul general, died in this city yesterday, aged 45, after a long and severe illness, the basis of which was inflammation of the lungs Mrs Edwards, formerly the Baroness Heckeren van Molenaaten, will have the body of her husband buried at Potsdam tomorrow.

A Stolen Train Relinquished.

OGDEN, Utah, May 17—Forty men who came from the west forcibly took possession of a through freight train on the Union Pacific road, and held it five hours. They were induced to give up the train by the city marshal who said they should have provisions They agreed to go east on foot

Democrats Will Make a Legal Fight.

MOUNT VERNON, N Y., May 17—The board of aldermen last night canvassed the vote cast on Tuesday, and declared the Republican nominee, Edson Lewis, to have been elected by a majority of two. The Democrats will take the case into the supreme court.

Kansas Democratic Nominees.

KANSAS CITY, May 17.—The Democratic state convention remained in session until 2.15 this morning without reaching a vote on the platform Judge Francis M. Black was nominated for judge of the supreme court and W T Carrington for superintendent of schools

Poor But Honest.

Charlie Sullivan is a poor but honest Irish lad, who, while walking down Washington street, found a wallet containing checks and money to the value of several hundred dollars. Although almost destitute, he returned it to its owners, Messrs. A. P. Ordway & Co., proprietors of Sulphur Bitters, who gave him a liberal reward, and also gave him six bottles of Sulphur Bitters for his mother, who has been a terrible sufferer with rheumatism, and who returned many blessing after being cured by their use.—*Weekly World.*

Go by the book on Beecham's Pills.

Hospital for Colored People.

BALTIMORE, May 17. — Eight colored physicians and surgeons practicing in Baltimore have organized a faculty of medicine, and on June 1 they will open a hospital and free dispensary, to be called the Providence hospital. It is said this will be the only hospital in the south controlled and attended entirely by colored physicians The founders of the hospital are all men equipped with professional training and with experience in practice among colored people.

Altenberger a Murderer.

JERSEY CITY, May 17—Katie Rupp, the young woman who was shot by Bernhard Altenberger, her lover, near the Snake Hill almshouse last Monday, died last night in the hospital Altenberger, who is now in custody at Utica, N Y., will be extradited and placed on trial for murder in the first degree Altenberger's only explanation is that he shot her because she was a Protestant and he a Catholic, and he knew he could not marry her.

Conquered by Hunger.

NEW YORK, May 17—The members of the Silk Ribbon Weavers' union resumed work this morning at the wages proposed by the Manufacturers' association. They will receive an increase of 2 and 5 per cent The strike lasted thirteen weeks, and of the 2,500 men and women who took part only about 250 abandoned the organization The strikers say they were conquered by hunger

Signed the Amalgamated Scale.

SHARON, Pa., May 17—The wage scale of the Amalgamated association has been signed by the Stewart Iron company, and the company's mills here will resume operations next Monday, after nearly a year's idleness. The scale calls for paying a $5 rate for puddling

Sanders' Army in Jail.

LEAVENWORTH Kan May 17—The trial of General Sanders and his army was concluded yesterday and Commissioner Wagoner rendered his opinion, holding the defendants to the United States court for trial Sanders' bail was fixed at $500 and each of the 270 men at $400. Marshal Neely was ordered to take them to jail in default of bail

Minneapolis' Big Flour Production.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 17.—The Minneapolis mills last week ground 193,970 barrels of flour, against 160,000 barrels the week before, and 159,875 for the same week in 1893. This week about the same capacity is in operation Low freight rates, together with the splendid water power, are the causes of the heavy running.

England Urged as Mediator.

LISBON, May 17—The principal European powers have been consulted by the Portuguese government with reference to the rupture with Brazil, and the mediation of England has been solicited. The news of Brazil's action in breaking off diplomatic relations was a complete surprise.

Another Coxey Convert.

MASSILLON, O, May 17—After being chairman of the Democratic central committee for five years Peter Smith has come out in favor of J S Coxey for congress. Coxey is expected back in Massillon on May 20.

Coxeyites Looking for Work.

BALTIMORE, May 17—Baltimore is being overrun at present with ex-soldiers of Coxey armies They have come from Washington to this city, and many of them are actually looking for work.

Killed His Aged Mother and Himself.

NEW YORK, May 17—Lena Samsmuller, aged 90, and her son Charles aged 50 were found dead in their rooms in a tenement house in East Twelfth street their throats cut from ear to ear It was evident that the son was responsible for the double tragedy He had been out of work for some time, and it is supposed fear of poverty prompted the deed

London Jehus on Strike

LONDON, May 17—About three thousand cab drivers of this city went on strike yesterday as a protest against the exorbitant charges for cab hire insisted upon by owners Some of the smaller cab owners have already conceded the demands of the drivers

Allen to be Hanged July 6.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 17—Governor Brown has designated July 6 as the day for James Allen, colored, to be hanged for a criminal assault on Cora Simpson, an 11-year-old white girl.

Victory for Henry Villard.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 17.—Judge Townsend decides the case of John Swope vs. Henry Villard and Northern Pacific in favor of the latter

NUGGETS OF NEWS

The pool rooms of Westchester Village, N Y., are running wide open

A severe earthquake was felt yesterday at Kars and other places in the Caucasus

Governor Flower vetoed a bill introduced in the New York legislature to pension teachers.

Prince Clovis Bonaparte, the only son of the late Prince Lucien Bonaparte, and grandson of the great Napoleon, died in London, aged 33

John A Jackson, one of the most prosperous young merchants of Savannah, Ga., was brutally murdered in bed with a sledge hammer. Eight suspects are under arrest.

New Jersey Legislature.

TRENTON, May 17—The Republican members of the legislature have agreed to adjourn at 3 o'clock this afternoon until Wednesday of next week, when they will come back and pass over the governor's vetoes any bills which he may return to them with his objections They will probably have to remain here Thursday and Friday to finish up all business, when they will take a recess until September The bill placing the control of the state capitol in the hands of the state comptroller, state treasurer and governor was defeated in the senate The bill making the state board of education non-partisan and to consist of two members from each congressional district passed.

A Whole Family Poisoned.

DECATUR, Ind., May 17.—Word has just been received from Monroe that the family of Mart Alder were poisoned by some unknown person. A brother of Alder called at the house and found the entire family, consisting of Alder, his wife and two small children, prostrate on the dining room floor, the two children dead, the mother beyond the reach of medical aid and Alder very ill. It is thought that some enemy of the family put poison in the well.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

NEW YORK May 16—The share speculation today was characterized by considerable activity, but the increase in the volume of business was due to the inauguration of a selling movement which included sugar, St Paul, Burlington and Quincy and Chicago Gas, and in a lesser degree other of the active shares. The pressure to sell was most pronounced in Sugar Closing bids.

Lehigh Valley	37	W N Y. & Pa	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	65¾	Erie	13¾
Reading	19¾	D., L. & W	150½
St Paul	86½	West Shore	104¾
Lehigh Nav.	61¼	N Y. Central	98¾
N. Y. & N. E.	45	Lake Erie & W	17
New Jersey Cen.	116¾	Del & Hudson	138¾

General Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—Flour weak winter superfine, $2 75@3 00; do. extras $3 10@3 35; No. 2 winter family, $3 35@3 50 Pennsylvania roller straight, $3 60@3 75, western winter clear, $3 50@3 60. Wheat dull shade lower, with 66¾c bid and 67¼c asked for May. Corn quiet steady, with 42c bid and 43c asked for May. Oats quiet, weaker Beef quiet Pork dull Lard steady, western steam, $7 45 Butter quieter New York dairy, 12@16c; do creamery 14@18c Pennsylvania creamery prints extra 20c; do choice, 19c; do fair to prime 15@18c; do gathicky, 13@17c Cheese weak New York large 9½@10c, small, 9¾@10½c Eggs weaker. New York and Pennsylvania, 12½@13c; western, 12@12½c

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Beeves steady, native steers, good to prime, $4 40@4 55, medium to fair do $4 20@4 35; ordinary do, $4@4 10; stags and bulls, $3@3 60; bulls, $3@3 75; dry cows, $1 70@3 75. Calves steady veals poor to prime, $5@5 60, choice to extra, $5 80@6 00, good buttermilk calves $4@5 50 Sheep and lambs weak yearlings, 6c per lb lower lambs steady, sheep poor to good, $4@4 25, yearlings inferior to choice, $4 25@4 75, lambs, inferior to choice, $5 65@6 37 Hogs weak; fair to good, $5 40@5 60 per 100 lbs

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., May 16.—Cattle steady, prime, $4 40@4 65, good, $4 05@4 25 good butchers $3 75@4 00, rough fat, $3@3 50 good fat cows and heifers, $2 50@3; bulls and stags $2@3, bologna cows, $30@40, fresh cows and springers $30@40 good feeders, $3 80@4 00 Hogs active best Philadelphias, $5 40@5 45 best Yorkers $5 35@5 40 common to fair, $5 20@5 25, pigs, $5 10@5 15, good heavy sows, $4 10@4 20, stags and rough cows, $3@3 50 Sheep steady extra, $4 00@4 10 good $3 60@3 80 fair, $2 50@3 50 common, $1@2 lambs, $3@4 60; spring lambs, $5@6.

New York Produce Market

NEW YORK, May 17th, '94.

BUTTER—Receipts for week, 21,811 packages; exports for week, 2,044 tubs.

Creamery, tubs or pails, extra	17 @
Do., firsts	15 @16
State Dairy, half firkin tubs and pail s, fresh, extra	16¾@17
Do., firsts	13 @15
Do., seconds	@
State Dairy, Welsh tubs, extra	15 @16
Do., firsts	14 @14
Western Dairy, firsts	11½@12
Do., seconds	9½@10½
Western Factory, extra	@
Do., firsts	10½@11

CHEESE—Receipts for week, 29,019 boxes, exports, 21,913 boxes.

State Factory, full cream, fancy	11 @11¼
Full Cream, fine	10¾@10¾
State Factory, fair to fine	9 @10¼

POULTRY AND GAME—

LIVE POULTRY.

Chickens, per pair	18 @28
Roosters, per pound	6½@ 7
Fowls, per pound	10½@11
Do., western, per pound	@
Turkeys, per pound	8@ 9
Ducks, per pair	55@60
Geese, per pair	100@1 12

DRESSED POULTRY.

Chickens, per pound	20 @28
Turkeys, per pound	8 @10
Fowls, State and Jersey, per pound	10 @
Ducks, per pound	25 @

EGGS—Receipts for week, 80,767 cases and barrels.

State and Pennsylvania, per dozen	12½@13
Western, per dozen	12 @12½

FRUITS AND BERRIES—

Apples, per barrel	4 00@6 00
Strawberries, per quart	5@ 10

VEGETABLES—

Potatoes, per barrel	3 50@3 50
Cabbage, per bbl	75@1 50
Onions, Bermuda, per crate	2 00@
Do., Eastern, per bbl	@
Do., old, per bbl	@
Green Peas	50@1 25
String Beans, per crate	75@1 50
Rhubarb, per 100 bunches	1 00@1 25
Lettuce, per barrel	1 00@1 25
Tomatoes, per carrier	1 00@3 00
Spinach	30@ 50
Cucumbers, per crate	75@1 50

SUNDRIES—

Beeswax, per pound	28@29
Maple sugar, per pound	6½@ 7

MILK—The surplus on the railroad platform has been sold at $1.37 a can, or 2 cents a quart, net, to the producer

Names of Railroads	Cans Fluid Milk	Cans Condensed Milk	Cans Cream
N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R.	4,470	40	271
N. Y., O. & W. Railroad	3,700	...	200
D., L. & W.	4,465	...	28
Susquehanna & Western	1,971	4	55
Harlem Railroad	2,361	97	21
N. Y. & N. H. Railroad	845	...	...
West Shore Railroad	1,295	70	25
New York & Putnam R. R	....	...	...
New Jersey Central	216	...	15
Miscellaneous	1,678	...	65
Total	21,651	211	660

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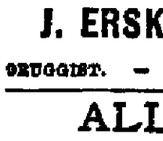

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THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1894.

The Senate did a big day's work, yesterday, having disposed of fourteen items in the chemical schedule. Senator Gallinger, to whom the role of obstructionist had been assigned, read a history of tariff legislation from colonial times to the present day.

So much rain has fallen in the Northwest within two days, that the resulting floods have done damage that runs up into the millions. Here in the East the drouth is causing the farmers very heavy losses. Pity that things can't be averaged a little better.

William Middleton, seventy-six years old, arraigned in a Brooklyn police court, yesterday, has three wives, all of them over seventy, whom he has married since 1892. Two of the venerable victims of the gay deceiver were in court and testified against him.

Gov. Flower has vetoed the bill *regulating sales by itinerant venders.* The bill required all dealers engaged in business temporarily in any place in the State, to deposit $500 in cash with the Comptroller, pay a license fee of $25 and such other license fees as might be imposed by the places in which they made sales. The Governor objects to the bill as equivocal in purpose, professing to raise revenue, while its real object is prohibition, *and an undue extension of the police* power of the State.

The *Herald* has entered on a crusade against the management of New York city's asylums for the insane. It charges that the patients do not receive proper care, food or clothing, that many of them are kept in buildings that are unfit for occupancy, that those who are able to work are overworked and that the whole system needs reformation. Yet the State Commission in Lunacy in their anti-tobacco edict and other official and semi-official utterances have cited the city asylums as models of what such institutions should be. Does the *Herald* know too much or the Lunacy Commission too little about the New York asylums?

The resolution introduced in the Senate, yesterday, by Mr. Lodge, for the appointment of a committee to investigate the attempted bribery of Senators Hunton and Kyle, and which is broad enough to take in all the rumors of sugar stock speculation and other queer doings in regard to tariff legislation ought to be passed at once and the investigation begun without delay. It is bad enough to have the country's business interests kept on the rack and party pledges violated by Senators who put local interests ahead of the general welfare, but the Senate cannot afford to rest under the suspicion that bribery, corrupt influences or greed for gain have stood between any Senator and a faithful discharge of public duty.

The bill signed by Gov. Flower, a few days ago, which provides that all mechanics and laborers employed by municipalities on public works of any kind, or who are employed by contractors for such works, must be citizens of the United States, will not affect Middletown, but it will in many places seriously interfere with the construction of sewers, water works and other improvements, on which of late years Italian labor has been almost exclusively employed. One practical effect of the bill will be to put such a premium on the possession of certificates of citizenship that the padrones, who are already suspected of trafficking in fraudulent naturalization papers, will engage in the business on an extensive scale, and by false representations and the necessary perjury will be able to equip newly arrived immigrants with proofs of citizenship, which will make them eligible for employment by the municipalities of the Empire State. It follows, as a matter of course, that every one of these ready made citizens, who is employed on public work, will be voted by the men who secured him his job, and thus the ballot will be degraded and elections made more of a mockery than they already are.

A House Burned at Barryville.

The dwelling of Mary E. Hulse, who resides near Barryville, Sullivan county, was destroyed by fire about 1 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon.

Ladies and dressmakers! Call and see the "Quick On" at leading dry goods stores. djul7

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

TROUBLE FEARED IN THE COKE REGION.

By United Press.

CONNELLSVILLE, May 17.—Both operators and strikers are making claims to gains, to-day. The mob that besieged Jackson, yesterday, was dispersed at midnight. Trouble is expected at Jackson and Jimtown, to-night, and deputies are assembling at those plants. Two hundred strikers camped near Hill farm, last night, but offered no resistence when the men went to work, to-day.

ANOTHER BIG FIRE IN BOSTON.

By United Press.

BOSTON, May 17.—Early this morning, a fire in the six story granite block, known as the State Street Block, destroyed that portion of the structure occupied by the United States Bonded Warehouses and Appraiser's Department. The lose is very heavy.

SWITCHMEN'S AID ASSOCIATION'S TREASURER MISSING.

By United Press.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., May 17.—W. H. Simsrott, grand secretary and treasurer of the Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association, is missing. Simsrott sent in his annual report and it looks satisfactory. The Switchmen have been in convention here for three days, but nothing has been heard from Simsrott.

UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT AT TRAIN STEALING.

By United Press.

SALT LAKE, May 17.—Industrials at Ogden, yesterday, tried forcibly to take a Union Pacific engine and were attempting to steam out of town, when they were driven off by deputies.

DEATH OF REV. J. O. PECK.

By United Press

NEW YORK, May 17.—Rev. J. O. Peck, prominent for years in missionary work in this State, died this morning at Hotel St. George, Brooklyn.

SHOT BY A BURGLAR.

By United Press.

WESTON, Mass., May 17.—A burglar shot and killed F. M. Farrar, a prominent citizen. Farrar brothers captured the murderer and he is now in jail.

WHOLESALE POISONING BY ARSENIC

By United Press.

NASHVILLE, May 17.—The entire company of the fire department at their headquarters and a number of citizens were poisoned by drinking water from an ice cooler in the fire house, yesterday. Analysis of the water revealed the presence of arsenic.

NO MORE RACE TRACK ARRESTS

By United Press.

NEW YORK, May 17.—It was decided, this morning, to appeal the race cases at once, to the highest court. There will be no further arrests.

AN OPINION IN THE COXEY CASES FRIDAY.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Justice Bradley will render his opinion on the application for writs of certiori in the Coxey cases, Friday. Sentences will be deferred until then.

TUBE MAKERS ON STRIKE.

By United Press.

PITTSBURG, May 17.—Five hundred employes of the Duquesne Tube Works Co. struck, last night, for an increase of wages. The works are closed.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS SUMMARY.

By United Press.

—The Navy Department is advised that the American Behring Sea fleet sailed out on the Pacific, this morning.

—Latest reports place the loss by storm and floods in Minnesota and Wisconsin at $3,000,000.

—The newspapers say that Henry, the anarchist, now waiting to be executed in Paris, attempted to bribe his keepers to let him escape.

—The entire plant of the Climax Road Machine Co., at Marathon, Cortland county, N. Y., was burned, this morning. Loss, $20,000; insurance, $11,000.

—It is stated in Troy, that the grand jury has found an indictment for murder in the first degree against Bat Shea,

—Slight shocks of earthquake were felt near Dumfries, Scotland, to-day.

Facts Worth Knowing

In all diseases of the nasal mucous membrane the remedy used must be non-irritating. Nothing satisfactory can be accomplished with douches, snuff, powders or astringents, because they are irritating, do not thoroughly reach the affected surfaces and should be abandoned as worse than failures. A multitude of persons who had for years borne all the worry and pain that catarrh can inflict testify to radical and permanent cures wrought by Ely's Cream Balm. Your druggist has it.

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COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Profitable Meeting of Sunday School Workers at Montgomery—Topics Discussed—Officers Elected.

The annual convention of the Orange County Sunday School Association was held at the Presbyterian Church, Montgomery, yesterday, and was a very profitable meeting of Sunday School workers.

Reports showed that there are 168 schools in the county with a membership of 2,598. Only sixty per cent of the children in the State attend Sunday School.

Rev. E. S. Miles, of Newburgh, spoke of the importance of Sunday School children attending public worship, holding that religious instruction is necessary, and that teachers' example should be a guide to the children. He also spoke of the necessity of cultivating reverence for the house of God and said that entertainments and comic concerts in churches were likely to destroy reverence.

In his address of welcome, Rev. J. C. Forsyth, pastor of the church said, if the musician should be skillful in order to please, how much more should the teacher be well instructed and skillful in presenting the truth to the plastic minds of the young.

Addresses were also made by Rev. Mr. Hudnut, of Port Jervis, on "The aims of the Sunday School," and by Rev. J. H. Phillips, of Monticello, on "The objects and works of the Sunday School."

There were present about 200 representatives of the different schools, fifteen of whom were from this city. The Middletowners drove to Montgomery in a 'bus.

Mr. E. W. Hawley, acting District Secretary, presented the home department work. He said much could be done by the school reaching out to the homes of the people, and interesting those who could not or would not come to the school, and securing if possible the study of the lesson. Every school should be graded; should advance to the higher grade by examination. Teachers should confer together; there should be systematic visitation. To be a successful teacher meant hard work, sacrifice and love for scholars.

The officers elected were:

President—N. N. Green, Washingtonville.

Executive Committee—R. S. Talbot, Cornwell; E. A. Brown, Port Jervis; Harvey Smith, Montgomery.

Corresponding Secretary—Dr. W. I. Wallace, Montgomery.

Recording Secretary—A. B. Hutin, Middletown.

Treasurer—R. H. Wood, Goshen.

Assistant Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Julia E. Manning, Johnson.

Hon. Augustus Denniston, of Washington ville; and Dr. W. I. Wallace of Montgomery, were elected delegates to the State Convention, to be held at Ithaca, the last week in June.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

	NEW YORK, May 16, '94.		
	High	Low	Close
Sugar	104	102⅝	103
A. T. & S. F.	10½	9⅜	9⅜
C. B. & Q.	79	78⅜	78⅜
Chicago Gas	67⅜	65⅝	67
D. L. & W.	160⅜	160⅛	160⅛
Dis. & Cat. F.	25	23⅜	23⅜
Erie	14⅛	13⅜	13⅜
General Electric	36⅜	36⅛	35⅞
L. & N.	46⅝	45⅛	45⅜
M. P.	27⅜	26⅜	26⅞
N. Y. & N. E.	5⅜	4⅜	4⅜
O. & W.	16⅜	16⅛	15⅝
P. & R.	16⅜	15⅜	16⅛
O. M. & St. P.	69⅜	68⅜	68⅜
Q. P.	17⅞	16⅝	16⅝
W. Union	84	83⅜	83⅜
July Wheat	57	56⅜	56⅝
July Corn	37⅞	37⅜	37⅜
July Oats	30⅞	30	30⅛
July Pork	$11 90	$11 75	$11 80
July Lard	6 90	6 80	6 82

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was it supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and, by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. *Hall's Catarrh Cure,* manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Adress.

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If you want Lace Curtains or Chenille Portieres we can do you some good.

Lace Curtains from 42 cents per pair. Chenille from $3.25 per pair.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 WEST MAIN STREET, MIDDLETOWN.

Ready Made Clothing.

HATS, HATS, HATS!

All the latest styles for men, youths, boys and children. Prices tell the story and business keeps booming.

A Large Invoice of Straw Hats.

A complete stock of Gents' Furnishings. Look at our line of Summer Underwear.

Merchant Tailoring Department

This branch is a grand success. We carry the stock of Foreign and Domestic Goods for Suits, Overcoats and Extra Trousers. Silk ROGERS gives entire satisfaction. A full stock of Men's and Boys' Working Pants and Overall Suits. Silk Hats ironed free at

JOHN E. ADAMS'S,

Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher
No. 41 North Street, Middletown.

Summer Suits AT Greatly Reduced Prices.

We prefer now to the fine grades of clothing that are made from the best domestic and imported fabrics, and that any one should be proud to wear. True, you may find other suits elsewhere cheaper, that look as well and feel as well, but you will not find the quality. Better buy a suit that will last two seasons and pay a dollar more, than one for one season and save a dollar.

Isaac Lipfeld.

25 North street.

WE OPEN TO-DAY,

100 Styles of New Silk Umbrellas and Parasols.

FIFTY : STYLES : NEW : LACES

in cream, ecru and black.

100 Styles Ladies' Shirt Waists

in all the new styles and shapes.

IN WASH DRESS GOODS

we are showing a very large stock New Challies at 5c, formerly 8c.; New Satines 16c., formerly 25c.; a large variety of Ginghams at 5c.

Our Special Leaders.

Fast Black Organdies at $1 44 per dress, and All Wool Henriettas at $2.69 per dress are leaders. They sell. To-day—a new invoice of Silk Mitts and Gloves.

H. E. Churchill & Co.,

39 NORTH ST.

J. M. PHILLIPS,

successor to L. R. GARRISON,

City Market, Corner North and Orchard Streets.

All kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, Fresh, Salt and Smoked Fish, Vegetables, Canned Goods, Oysters, Clams, etc. A full supply of Lime Brook Cheese on hand.

J. M. PHILLIPS.

SEED CORN.

St. Charles, Leaming and Pride of the North Seed Corn. Best grades of Flour, Feed, Grain, Hay and Mill Feeds at lowest market rates.

C. J. EVERSON,

successor to Geo. L. Everson & Son

6 King street.

Administrator's Sale.

A valuable plot of land for sale on Franklin street, the second lot above the Madison House, one minute walk from James street depot, Erie Railroad. It is one of the best pieces of property now for sale near center of town. It contains 125 feet on Franklin street, 100 feet deep, or four building lots 21 feet each. For drainage and health it cannot be beaten, and it must be sold to settle up the estate of the late Mrs. Mary Gillen. Enquire of P. DOUGHERTY, one of the administrators. 10dtf

Greatest Assortment of Summer Goods in the City at 19 North Street.

Lap Duster 45 cents up. Summer Fly Blankets 60 cents up. Also the largest assortment of Sweat Collars in the city.

EMIL E. E. RAASCH,

19 NORTH STREET, MIDDLETOWN.

ORDERS for carpet cleaning may be left at Hoyt & Galloway's, Hunton & Son's, West Main street; Frank's drug store, Bull & Youngblood's, J. E. Corwin's, corner North street and Wickham avenue; Babcock's, corner Lake and Wickham avenues, or at the Middletown Steam Carpet Cleaning Works, corner Fulton street and Sprague avenue.

E. H. GREGORY.

HANFORD & HORTON.

THAT

60 sheet, 60 envelope "Bargain Box" of paper of ours for only 38 cents. Have you had one yet?

Then, too, we have all the new things in Fine Stationery by the quire, box or tablet as you may prefer.

Bamboo Porch Screens, Hammocks, Croquet, Base Ball and Tennis Goods all ready for you the moment you want them, but why not buy now and be ready for hot waves.

Hanford & Horton,

6 North Street.

DID YOU EVER TRY TO SAVE $500

Or even half of it? It was a tough job, wasn't it? You often felt like using the money, didn't you? That was because you knew you had it in your pocket or the bank. Could you save up $250 to buy a piano? Doubtful, but you wouldn't miss $10 a month if you could pay it that way and get a first-class Piano from the start.

That is just what we are in business for. Although we sell Pianos and Organs for cash, and at prices that cannot be beaten in the world, we also sell the same instruments on credit terms, asking only a small per cent. for the accommodation. It's the best and easiest way that you can secure a Piano or Organ. The latter are only $5 per month.

"Middletown Music Store,"

56 NORTH ST.

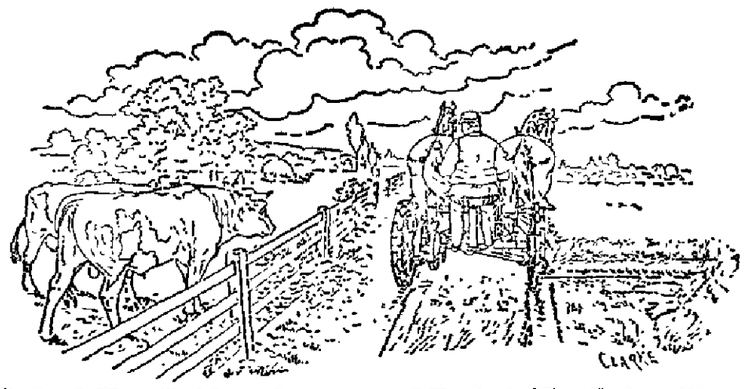
SUCCESSORS to Wood T. Ogden, Morgan & Wilbur, and The Morgan Music Co.

Having Opened a Coal Yard at No. 10 Railroad Avenue,

I would respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage. I will carry a full line of Lehigh and Lackawanna Coal of all grades, which will be delivered to any part of the city all coal screened before delivering.

THOS. DONOVAN, yard 10 Railroad avenue; office 124 North street. Telephone call 18.

McCORMICK MOWING MACHINES.



Bullard Hay Tedders, Osborne and Taylor's Hay Rakes, Planet, Jr., Cultivators, Corn Planters

Best assortment Lawn Mowers in the city

MILLSPAUGH HARDWARE CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE.

CORNER MAIN AND CANAL STS., MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

C. A. R. or R. R.

We have full equipments for uniforms for veterans. Our suits are guaranteed fast color and the workmanship is better than the average. Hats, Cords, Wreaths, Buttons, etc., to complete the uniform for Decoration Day. For Railroad Suits we have all styles required. Get our prices at the One Price Blue Front Clothing Store, 10 North St.

MORRIS B. WOLF.

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DON'T FAIL TO SEE

Our Baby Chariot

IN OUR SHOW WINDOW.

Such an article was never be fore exhibited in the city of Middletown.

Even the trolley cars stop as they pass by.

Our stock of Baby Carriages is very extensive.

C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North Street.

PEOPLE CAN'T SEE

How we can set up such a fine glass of Ice Cream Soda for 5 cents! Well, some things are done for profit, some for glory, and some just for advertisement. If you get into the habit of dropping into our drug store and find, as you will, everything there right in quality and price, why, we've gained a customer.

The Soda Water is only the key-note—but it's clear, sweet and pure, typical of the high grade of all else we offer.

McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St.

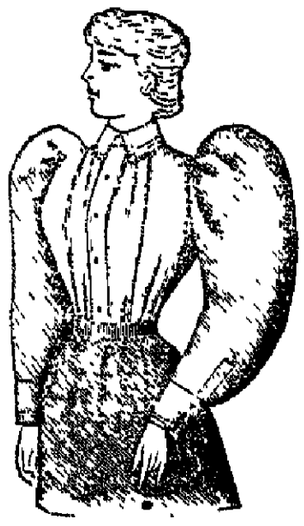
HOW TO FIT A TRUSS?

Well, that's one of the things to be learned only by experience. It's been one of our specialties for many years, and now it comes easy. Our prices, too, are like our trusses—easily borne. Some pretty steep figures have been asked for trusses not far from here. The victim ought to know better than to pay four times what we charge for as good an article.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists, 30 North St.

Paskola makes thin, pale people plump and rosy. Prescribed by physicians and endorsed by many of our customers. We are agents for it.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists, 30 North St.



Don't fail to see the handsomest line of Ladies' Shirt Waists in this city. Our stock is much larger and the styles much prettier than ever before. Notice our window display

C. W. FANCHER & CO.,

7 West Main Street.

DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Showers, to-day; fair, Friday; warmer in central portion; variable winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 60°; 12 m., 64°; 3 p. m., 65°.

AMUSEMENTS AND RECREATIONS.

—May 17—Schubert Club concert, at First Baptist Church

—May 18—Cake sale at Mrs. G B. Adams's, given by the ladies of First Presbyterian Church.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Eleven cents a pound for hams at J. W. Sloat's.

—Clay pigeon shoot at W. D. Steele's, Saturday.

—Bookbinding of all kinds done by McIntyre

—All druggists sell Celery Compound. See adv.

—Oil cloth, from a yard to a roll, can be had at Matthews & Co's.

—Special sale of handkerchiefs and hosiery, Friday, at the New York Store

—Low prices on hammocks, oil stoves, etc., at Dayton's.

—Call at Geo B Adams & Co's and get a ticket to ride on the electric railroad.

—Two-seated canopy top carriage for sale.

—"Points on economy from the Economy Store."

—Auction, to-night, at Benj F Todd's, 119 North street.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Parts three and four of "America's Greatest Men and Women" can now be had at this office.

—Excelsior's practice meeting will be held this evening, at 7 o'clock sharp.

—The Honesdale *Citizen* proudly says that "Honesdale now boasts of three Chinamen and the kirmess."

—Mr. A. H. Pratt is painting the large new dwelling of Mr. Oscar P. Kirby, No. 15 Lake avenue.

—The Western Union Telegraph Company, to-day, established a branch office at the State Hospital in this city.

—The Rev. Chandler A. Oakes, assistant pastor of the Brooklyn Tabernacle, has received a call from the Reformed Church, in Kingston, N. Y.

—Mrs. E. G. Dietrich, State Superintendent of the Juvenile Temple, is stopping in town, and will address the Juvenile Temple, this evening, in K. of H. hall. All members are requested to be present.

—There will be an apron table and light refreshments will be served at the cake sale at the home of Mrs. G. B. Adams, Friday, May 18, at 3 p. m. 2t

—It is surprising the number of passengers by the electric cars, every day, considering the short distance over which they run. The number will not fall short of 1,000 on any day since the road opened.

—The clerks of Honesdale formed an early closing association, last week, and most of the merchants have already agreed to close their stores at 6:30, four evenings in the week, from June 1st to Oct. 1st, provided all will do so.

—Ten cents and a coupon for any part of "America's Greatest Men and Women" from one to four. Secure them now.

—The walls of the Skidmore building, corner of Cottage street and Railroad avenue, are up, the coping is on, and the building is now ready for the roof.

—William Greeves, a Paterson bicyclist, was held up by two footpads, near Hackensack, Monday night. They demanded his money and jewelry and after he had handed over his valuables, they told him to give them his shoes. The victim drew the line at shoes and refused, whereupon the highwaymen jumped on him, pounded him severely and then ran away.

PERSONAL.

—Messrs. Frank Hanford, of Jersey City, and C. H. Hanford, of Newburgh, were in town, to-day, visiting their mother.

—Mrs. Henry Ball, of Passaic, who has been visiting for the past two weeks at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. George Ball, on Prospect avenue, returned home, to-day.

—Mr. Daniel Dougherty, a traveling commission merchant of New York, formerly of this city, was in town, yesterday, as the guest of his brother, Mr. M. Dougherty, the Myrtle avenue grocer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gunther and Messrs. George and Charles Lowe went to New York, to-day, to attend the graduation exercises of Packard's Business College. Mr. Gunther's son Edward is a member of the graduating class.

—Mr. Benjamin McClung, a well known lawyer, of Newburgh, and Miss Matie, daughter of Frederic Adams, of that city, will be married in Trinity Church, Newburgh, Tuesday evening, June 5th, at 6:30 o'clock.

—Mrs. Denison Crary and daughter, Amy, of Vestal, N. Y., are at Mrs. Crary's sister's, Mrs. W. P. Knight's, on Lake avenue. They were called here by the sickness of Mrs. C's. aunt, Miss Anna Preston, who makes her home with Mrs. Knight.

—W. Campbell Truesdell, of Newark, the Harvard law school student, who was drowned Sunday, while sailing in Boston harbor, was related to many Warwick people, his father, Warren N. Truesdell, being a brother of Mr. B. H. Truesdell, Mrs. John Sayer, Mrs. J. T. Wisner and Mrs. Amanda Brink, and his mother a sister of Mrs. Frank H. Campbell. The young man was engaged to be married to Miss Carrie Inslee, of Newton.

—Mr. Isaac Humphrey, proprietor of the Kingston laundry, was in town, to-day.

—Mrs. Joshua Hiret and her daughter, Mrs. George Buchanan, went to Newark, to-day, for a few days' visit.

—Dr. T. D. Mills returned, last night, from his trip to the convention of railway surgeons, at Galveston, Tex. He stopped on the way home to visit Luray Cavern, in Virginia. Dr. Hulett, who accompanied him, will visit the Natural Bridge and Washington and arrive home Thursday.

TRYING TO BUNCO THE WELLS FARGO.

Counterfeit Money Orders on the Company Sent All Over the Country—Middletown Gets One—So Does Neighboring Towns.

A large number of counterfeits of the money orders of the Wells-Fargo Express Company were sent out last week from St. Louis to points where the company had offices all over the country.

The orders are a poor imitation of the genuine, and a careful agent of the company would be suspicious of them at first glance, but of course many persons might be fooled, for the reason that they were all sent to responsible lawyers for collection, and had the proper signatures and endorsements.

Middletown was not overlooked, for, on Monday, Agent Lutes was presented with one of these drafts by a well known law firm of this city.

He says he would have required more than the mere written instructions to collect received by this firm, for the proceeding is so unusual that he would have regarded it with suspicion, but he was prepared for it by a notice sent out by the company, on Saturday, giving warning to look out for it.

The drafts all bear the same number, date and endorsement, and are all for $50.

Orders were also received at Newburgh, Goshen and Port Jervis, but none were paid.

ANOTHER MAN FALLS FROM A TRAIN.

Edward Bagley of Port Jervis Run Over and Fatally Injured in Newburgh.

Edward Bagley, a brakeman on Conductor Carpenter's train, extra engine 261, fell off a car at the coal dock, in Newburgh, at 11:45, last night, and three cars passed over him, cutting off both legs at the thigh.

He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital and was still alive, this morning, but it was thought there was no hope of his recovery.

Bagley is twenty-nine old, resides in Port Jervis, and has a wife and two or three children.

Smoked Too Many Cigars.

Luther W. Wood, who for twenty-five years has been interested in and a traveling salesman for the large wholesale Fischer tea, coffee and spice house, in New York city, is confined to his residence in Kingston with nervous prostration, attributed to overwork and excessive use of cigars. He was accustomed to smoke from twenty-five to forty cigars daily.

Beautiful Souvenir Spoons.

Messrs. D. C. Dusenberry & Son have had made, souvenir spoons, in the bowls of which are well executed pictures of Thrall Hospital and the Armory. The spoons are very pretty, the handles being in the form of a bunch of golden rod, the flowers being of gold.

The Band Concert To-night.

The Pioneer Band will give a concert at the band stand, at the terminus of the car tracks in the North End, this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. They will be carried in the open car around the block, bounded by Main, North, Depot and James street, several times after 7:30, giving a street concert.

Bad Debts Cause a Grocer's Failure.

Sheriff Alexander, yesterday, by virtue of an execution, took possession of the stock and fixtures of Groceryman L. M. Hurtin, No. 46 East Main street. The stock will be offered for sale, Tuesday, May 22. Mr. Hurtin's misfortune is attributed to bad debts, he having trusted a great many people, who failed to pay their bills.

Examining Privates for Promotion.

Lieut. L. S. Silvers went to Newburgh, last evening, where, together with Capt. Hunter, of the 10th, and Lieut. Sheehan, he held an examination of four privates of the 10th for promotion to the offices of sergeant and corporals.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "THE GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise and delight to physicians on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown N. Y.

OBITUARY.

Laura C. Newman Brink.

Mrs. Laura C. Newman, widow of William Brink, died in Port Jervis, Tuesday afternoon, aged ninety-four years and ten months. Her husband died at the age of sixty-four years over forty years ago.

Mrs. Newman was born in Pike county, Pa., in 1799, at about the time the early settlers were recovering from the Indian troubles from which the Delaware Valley suffered, and the stories of Indian atrocities told her in childhood remained fresh in her mind all her life, and she delighted in telling them, and some of them form part of the printed history of the Minisink Valley.

She is survived by four children, one of whom, Thomas, resides in Port Jervis.

Jacob Kalmbach.

Mr. Jacob Kalmbach, father of Mrs. R. L. Forthoffer, of this city, died, last night, at Hunt's Hospital in Port Jervis, aged seventy-three years.

Mr. Kalmbach while engaged in trimming some grape vines, about ten weeks ago, fell from a long ladder, sustaining a compound fracture of the right leg. He was taken to the hospital and everything possible was done for him, but the severe shock, to one of his advanced years, proved too much and he never rallied.

Deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Forthoffer, above mentioned.

The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

IT PAYS TO BE DECENT.

Academy Pupils Denied the Privileges Enjoyed for Twenty Years on Account of the Bad Conduct of a Few of Their Number.

For twenty years, the pupils of Wallkill Academy have enjoyed the privilege of using the water from the well in a neighboring yard. From constant and careless use of the pump frequent repairs were needed, and occasionally a new pump had to be put in, but the owner cheerfully paid the bills.

Of late, however, the behavior of some of the boys has become so obnoxious to the owner of the premises that he must do something for self protection, and the just and the unjust must suffer alike, and has denied them the use of the well.

No one can blame the gentleman, for he has endured the trampling of his lawn, the picking of his choicest flowers and boisterous conduct about the yard, as long as could be expected of any one.

It is not a flattering commentary upon the students of to-day that their conduct should have robbed the whole school of the privileges enjoyed for twenty years.

OPENING OF THE BASE BALL SEASON

The Grounds Put in Good Order—The Waldens and Asylums at the Bat.

Everything is in readiness for the opening of the base ball season at the Hospital grounds, this afternoon. A quantity of earth was carted on the diamond, yesterday, which was sprinkled and rolled.

The grass in both out and infields was mowed and the grounds put in excellent shape for the game. The Waldens arrived in town by wagon shortly before noon and put up at Dooley's hotel where they had dinner.

Chesebro and McGreevey are the battery for the Asylums, and Tears brothers for the Waldens.

At the end of the 4th inning the score was 5 to 1 in favor of the Asylums.

On the Diamond.

—Harmon Smith, who played third base for the Asylums last season, has been signed to catch for Poughkeepsie.

—The Brooklyn Leaguers have been secured for the 28th, in this city.

—The Cuban Giants and Paterson's will play in Paterson Sunday.

Improvements at the Campbell Track.

For several weeks, the Middletown Horse Fair Association has been making improvements to the Campbell track. About six inches of black dirt, taken from the middle of the enclosure, has been placed upon the track, and ditches have been dug around it for drainage. No pains or expense will be spared to make it the finest half-mile track in this vicinity.

Fishermen's Stories that Do Not Agree

Messrs. Weller, Hoyt, Osburn and Olmstead returned last night from a very pleasant and successful trout fishing trip to Mongaup Valley. The number of fish taken according to the several stories told, varies from 100 to 200.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in one to three days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause, and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. Seventy-five cents. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown.

Ready mixed paints, best quality, $1.25 per gallon, at McMonagle & Rogers's drug store.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A SENSITIVE CORK FOOT.

How a Middletowner Suffered When His Artificial Foot Was Frozen and His Prompt Relief When It Was Thawed Out.

One often reads of people who, having lost a foot or hand, have complained afterwards of feeling pain in the severed member, even after it is buried and stories have been told of the disinterment of foot or hand and the changing of its position, which gave instant relief to the sufferer. But we have never heard, until yesterday morning, from the lips of one who had lost a limb or part of a limb, that any such sensations were possible and confess to having regarded these stories as the imaginations of the unfortunates or the tales of some newspaper romancer.

In this case, however, the story comes from one of our townsmen, Mr. James McNulty, a man of veracity. He wears a cork foot, to replace the natural one, which he lost on the railroad. Last winter while clearing a crossing of snow his cork foot got wet and as the weather was cold and there was no warmth in the cork foot, it froze and at once began to pain him, and finally the pain became so intense that he could bear it no longer and, securing a man to take his place, went home.

"At this time," said Mr. McNulty, "I suffered far more pain than when my foot was crushed by the cars. I could hardly bear it and as quickly as possible I took off the artificial foot and placed it where it would thaw out. You may not believe it and I hate to tell the story for fear of ridicule, but just as soon as the foot began to thaw out the pain began to let up, just as a toothache eases up, and when it was dried out completely there was not a particle of pain, and I put on my shoe and returned to work."

Mr. McNulty says he was cautioned by the maker of the cork foot that if it should freeze he would have trouble.

TWENTY-TWO TIMES AROUND THE EARTH

That is the Distance Run by Engineer Miokens Since He Began Railroading.

Mr. Thomas Miokens, the popular engineer on O. and W. train 1, in conversation with an ARGUS reporter, this morning, stated that during his eighteen years of service on the O. and W. Road he had kept a record of the number of miles traveled by him in his official capacity, and that in summing up the record, yesterday, he found that he had traveled 547,735 miles, which is but 2,265 miles less than twenty-two times the distance around the world and an average of 83½ miles a day. In that time he has never killed or maimed a passenger and has only been injured once, several years ago, by the breaking of a side rod on the engine.

MEANER THAN DIRT.

Certain to Win the Garden Prize of the Liberty Improvement Society.

From the Liberty Gazette.

At the last meeting of the Liberty Improvement Society it was voted to give a prize of a $5 gold piece to the resident of Liberty having the best kept lawn. Also a similar prize for the best garden. Judges have been appointed to examine gardens and lawns every two weeks, and report to the society. The garden prize will be awarded during the first week in August, and the lawn prize September 1st. We see in this a splendid opportunity for our neighbors of the *Register*. They have only to take off the roof from their office, plant a few seeds and the garden prize is theirs.

Little Chance of a Soaking Rain.

There is, says the *Herald*, a possibility that the storm, which yesterday caused floods and cloudbursts in the Northwest, may reach the seaboard and cause light rains, but the chances are that if there is any rainfall it will not be heavy enough to do any good to parched vegetation. For to-morrow and Saturday the *Herald* predicts fair, warmer weather with possibly local showers.

The Schubert Club Concert

The ladies of the Schubert Club have completed all arrangements for their fine concert, to-night, at the Baptist Church at 8:15. They will give a fine entertainment, with some novel musical features, not usually heard in our city. The violoncello playing of Mr. Victor Herbert, the present conductor of Gilmore's Band, will be a rare treat.

World's Columbian Exposition

Was of great value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in medicinal agents has been of equal importance, and as a strengthening laxative that Syrup of Figs is far in advance of all others.

The 24th, Sure to Go to Camp.

Captain McIntyre, this morning received the State camp pay roll, which he is to fill out and forward to headquarters, at Albany. This is a sure indication that the 24th, will go to camp, but the date has not yet been announced.

New Rails on the O. and W.

The O. and W. railroad is relaying portions of its track, west of Burnside and also west of Livingston Manor with heavy steel rails. About twenty miles will be relaid, this spring.

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

WE WANT

everybody to have a ride on our

New Electric Cars.

City customers can have Free Electric Railroad Tickets—one for every dollar expended in our large and well stocked establishment—either

Dry Goods, Carpets, Cloaks, Shoes or Wall Paper

FOR ONE WEEK,

COMMENCING

To-Morrow, Friday, 18th.

Every purchaser of one dollar's worth of goods will secure a ticket, and one for every additional dollar purchased.

Morning sales for Friday and Saturday, 9 to 11 a. m.

Plaid Toweling at 3½ cents.

Brown Sheeting at 4 cents.

Balance of Percales at 5 cts.

Indigo Prints at 3½c.

For Friday only—Fast black ribbed top Hose, usual price 35 cents. Price for Friday, two pairs for 43 cents.

We want and must have a **Big Shoe Day on Saturday.** Extra announcement for **Saturday only**—2 Electric Railroad Tickets go with **every pair** of Shoes sold from 8 a. m. till 9 p m.

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

DON'T

forget we are up to date on fine Toilet Goods. All the leading brands of Soaps at popular prices. Also some new things in Perfumes which will please you at

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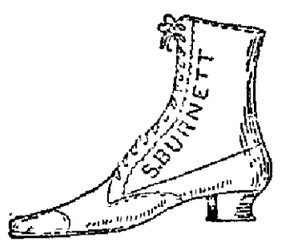

You will find at the New Shoe Store all the leading styles of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes in all widths. Ladies, have you

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OUR OXFORD TIES AT 89 CENTS?

It will pay you to call and examine our line of Ties. We have the largest stock ever shown in this city.

In fact, our Men's, Boys' and Youths' Departments are now complete.

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YOU MUST NOT OVERLOOK ATTACHING TO THE

Plumbing and Ventilation!

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Make this work a specialty

Write or call on them for estimates for all work in their line. dtfApr18

SULPHUR BITTERS

ARE YOU low spirited and suffering from the excesses of youth? If so, Sulphur Bitters will cure you.

Is your Urine thick, ropy, cloudy, or high-colored? Don't wait! Your KIDNEYS are being ruined. Use Sulphur Bitters.

One bottle of Sulphur Bitters will do you more good than all the Latin prescriptions of drugs and mineral poisons which will remain in your system, destroy your bones, and make you a poor, weak, and broken down invalid. No person can remain long sick who uses Sulphur Bitters. If

YOUR DAUGHTER'S FACE

is covered with ugly sores, and festering Pimples, give her Sulphur Bitters. Ladies in delicate health, who are all run down, should use Sulphur Bitters. None better.

Try Sulphur Bitters TO-NIGHT, and you will sleep well and feel better for it.

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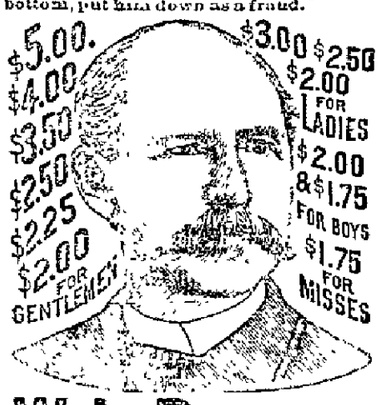

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How Two Spanish Gentlemen Happened to Forget to Pay Their Check.

There is a small all night restaurant in a Twenty-eighth street basement where gentlemen of more or less bohemian instincts sometimes go for a quiet bottle and a taste of seasonable delicacies.

As I sat there one night I observed that the two sharp featured gentlemen in dress suits who sat at the table next to mine had already dispatched their second bottle of Chateau Yquem, besides a liberal array of toothsome edibles. They were now chatting over their cigarettes. The greater part of the conversation was in Spanish. Finally they gathered up their overcoats to go, and as they stepped toward the desk, apparently to settle the bill, one of them said to the waiter, "Call in our cab driver and give him a drink."

The john entered promptly. "I'll leave the door open if you don't mind, so as to keep an eye on the hoss," he said. "He plays tricks on me sometimes."

The beaming "night hawk" had raised his glass, of a liberal three fingers of whisky, and was just remarking, "'Ere's looking at ye, gentlemen," when he glanced out the open door and realized that the "hoss that plays tricks sometimes" was leisurely ambling off toward Broadway. Dropping the glass unemptied, he bolted for the door, closely followed by the two gentlemen who were dress suits and talked Spanish. The latter were laughing merrily, as though the whole affair were a good joke.

They didn't come back right away, and when the cashier, somewhat uneasily, went outside and looked down the street, night hawk, "hoss," Spanish gentlemen and all had disappeared.

Then the cashier came back behind his desk. He looked ruefully at the figures on the unpaid check, banged the cash register viciously as he rang up another customer's 15 cents for a cocktail and remarked, "I'd like to know whether that 'hoss' was taught to play those tricks or whether my Spanish friends simply took advantage of what was really an accident."

The worldly wise bartender stopped rinsing a glass, dipped a towel disdainfully over his shoulder and said with a pessimistic grin: "There's more ways than one to beat the house. I never saw that trick done before, but I've heard toll of it."—New York Herald.

A Famous Beadle of Paris.

Discours, the beadle of the Church of St. Roch, in Paris, died on Saturday. He was almost famous for his tall stature, imposing air and portly figure, and was at once the tallest of the Paris beadles and the senior of them all. Prevost, the beadle of the Madeleine, stood next in stature, and after him came the beadle of Notre Dame, an ex-drum major, who was engaged two years ago by Archbishop Richard.

Discours was a passionate lover of billiards and went every evening to play at the Cafe Regence, where he used to measure his skill with M. Grevy before the latter was president of the republic. He constantly saw there a man taller than himself, Mr. Theodore Tilton, the American poet, who went to La Regence to play chess and was more than a match for Grevy. The post of beadle in a Paris church is a much envied one among the class of men who compete for it. At Notre Dame, the Madeleine and St. Clotilde the salary is £60, and there are perquisites at grand weddings and funerals. In smaller churches the pay is £40. The gorgeous uniforms and silver headed wand are provided by the vestry.—London News.

Boiler Scales.

The use of oil in preventing boiler scale now so prevalent is met with the objection that in using other than standard oil of 150 to 300 degrees fire test there is danger of the formation of what is called oil scale. This, according to chemical authority, is owing to the fact that when the higher fire test oils are introduced they rise and float upon the top of the water, and the latter, impregnated with sediment and mud, boils and bubbles up through the oil scum on top, and on the water becoming vaporized it liberates the particles of mud and scale contained, which fall back upon this layer of oil upon the top of the water. After awhile the layer of oil becomes so impregnated with mineral substances that it sinks to the bottom of the boiler, forming an incrustation, or oil scale, which is as injurious to the boiler as is the lime or magnesium scale. But the same objection, it is remarked, has also been made to crude petroleum.—New York Sun.

To Her Art.

Mme. d'Albertin, one of the lesser painters of France, was as conceited about her artistic ability as she was notorious for her excessive use of cosmetics of all kinds. Her face was a study in enamel, rouge and pencilling, and the older she grew the more pronounced it became. On one occasion a certain count, who held her in much disesteem, lost a bet to her.

"And what will madame choose?" he asked, with mock courtesy.

"Something in my art," she simpered. "Something I can paint."

"Very well, madame," he replied, bowing himself out.

A day later madame received a package from the count, which, upon being opened, revealed a life size drawing of her own face in outline.—Detroit Free Press.

Wondrous Evolution.

"In the slow evolution of the race," mused the elephant, loading with languid interest at the "Monge" curious gazers that stood on the outside of the ropes and fed him with cakes, peanuts and candy, "how many millions of years it must require to evolve from the shapeless and rudimentary projection on the face of the creature called man the full and perfect proboscis!"—Chicago Tribune.

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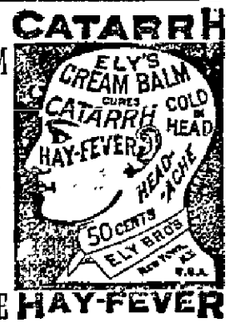

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This pathetic tale leads me to make a few remarks as to how these foreign scamps obtain a foothold in our "best society." Suppose the scene is the opera. Mrs. A. notices a stranger in Mrs. B.'s box.

"Who is that over there with Mrs. B.?" she asks.

"Oh, that's a young Englishman. I met him at the club last night. I think his name's Cromorne. Seems a jolly fellow."

"He's nice looking. You may bring him to my box if you choose."

So Cromorne, the scamp, is duly passed on from one family to another, no one knowing a thing about him, or caring, for that matter, so long as he is presentable and a novelty. He may have got his first introductions through accident, mistake or a chance acquaintance on shipboard. It matters not. He is soon in the swim, and being an iron pot is very apt to get the best of the earthenware families who have taken him up. In this recent incident the people who petted the pilferer are to be congratulated that he didn't get away with a daughter or two as well as with their money and bric-a-brac.—Chollie Knickerbocker in New York Recorder.

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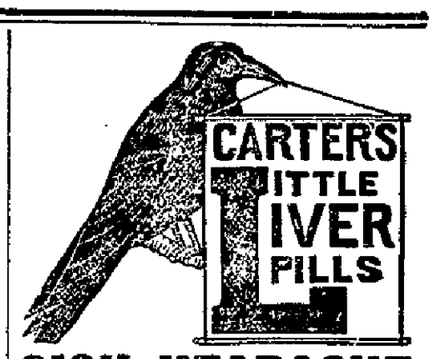

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A Question of Pride.

Pride is the birthright of almost every Spaniard, and the fact that one of the race may take up the occupation of a beggar does not shut him out from the possession of it. An American traveler relates that in alighting at a hotel in Granada he saw a man at the door put out his hand toward him.

The traveler supposed that the man was the porter of the hotel and offered him his valise The man stepped back, tossed his head and frowned scornfully.

"Caramba" he exclaimed "Do you take me for a porter? I would have you understand that I am no porter"

"Indeed? Then may I ask you, senor, what you are?"

"I am a beggar, sir, and asked you for alms!"—Youth's Companion

Getting His Discharge.

—Life.

Suspense.

They had sat thus for many minutes, and the gloaming was getting pretty dense when she broke the silence.

"Can you," she asked, "oblige me with a match?"

In his heart love struggled with honesty and was conquered.

"Yes," he faltered.

"Thank you."

There was an instant of terrible anxiety, and then a flood of joy filled him.

"She loves and trusts me," his exulting soul exclaimed as the girl applied the light to the end of a cigarette which she drew from the escritoire and placed between her dewy lips. "I feared she wanted it for the gas."

After which he observed a few commonplaces aloud by way of covering his confusion.—Detroit Tribune.

Jerrold's Wit.

On the first night of the representation of one of Jerrold's pieces a successful adapter from the French rallied him on his nervousness "I," said the adapter, "never feel nervous on the first night of my pieces." "Ah, my boy," Jerrold replied, "you are always certain of success. Your pieces have all been tried before." He was seriously disappointed with a certain book written by one of his friends. This friend heard that Jerrold had expressed his disappointment and questioned him, "I hear you said —— was the worst book I ever wrote." "No, I didn't," came the answer. 'I said it was the worst book anybody ever wrote" Of a mistaken philanthropist Jerrold said he was "so benevolent, so merciful a man he would have held an umbrella over a duck in a shower of rain."—Argonaut.

Had Met Before.

Mr. McSwat had risen unusually early, and as he opened his kitchen door to see how a snurse looked he encountered the milkman.

"Hello" he said. "Haven't I seen you somewhere before?"

"Yes, sir," replied the milkman, filling the crock on the step from his can. "I initiated you night before last into the Royal Order of the Nobles of the Ancient Mystery. I'm the majestic generalissimo, you know Fine morning, isn't it?"—Chicago Tribune

From Frying Pan to Fire.

Deacon—We must devise some means of paying these $500 of outstanding bills against the church. We are being pressed for the money.

Westerman (in surprise)—Why, what are they for?

Deacon—For flowers, decorations, music, etc., furnished for the entertainment last month to celebrate the church being at last free from debt.—Puck.

Some Difference.

Mrs. Twickenham (to Mrs. Stimson)—I declare, there is always some expense. I was going to get me a swell gown this summer, and now my husband tells me he has got to spend $75 for a tan dress suit.

Little Willie Stimson—Phew! Papa got one the other night for only $3.—Clothier and Furnisher.

Deficient.

Mrs Wayoff—And this picture is——

"That is Niobe. I suppose you are perfectly familiar with the story?"

Mrs Wayoff—No, I can't say that I just recall it There's a good many of the neighbors I'm not yet acquainted with.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Probably She Would.

Reggy—If you had been drinking a cocktail and kissed a girl afterward, do you think she would know it?

Tom—If I kissed a girl, I think she would know it whether I had been drinking cocktails or not.—Life.

Some Go to Him.

"Has that young man who comes to see you any go in him?" asked the father, addressing his daughter.

"Oh, yes, papa," she replied; "he goes at half past 10 every night."—New York Press.

But Natural.

"Mamma," cried the little pig, "I want more to eat."

"Well," exclaimed the parent petulantly, "I presume you are built to make a hog of yourself anyway."—Detroit Tribune.

Business Depression.

First Boy—How's business?

Second Boy—Poor. Only sold one stamp this week, and I didn't get anything for that but three marbles. Never saw times so hard.—Good News.

A Definition.

Weinberg—What do you call a work of art?

Gavens—It's something you don't quite understand and that costs you a heap of money.—Puck.

Determined.

"So you are mad at your husband. Are you going home to your mother?"

"No. I shan't do anything to please him again as long as I live."—Detroit Tribune.

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Tom—I hear that you swept everything before you at the Browns last night.

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NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	2 Mixed	4 Day Ex	6 Sch Co Ex	8 Pass no Exp
N. Y. Leave	A M	A M	P M	P M
Franklin st	3 30	7 30	3 00	7 35
W. 42d St.	3 45	7 50	3 15	7 55
Weehawken	4 00	8 05	3 30	8 05
Cornwall	6 00	9 52	5 10	9 48
W Cornwall	....	10 00	5 18	10 00
Orr's Mills	....	10 08	5 26	m10 08
Little Britain	....	10 24	5 41	m10 24
Burnside	....	10 31	5 48	m10 31
Campbell Hall	6 45	10 41	5 58	10 38
Stony Ford	....	10 46	6 03	10 43
Otisville	....	10 52	6 09	m10 49
Main St.	....	10 59	6 16	m10 56
Middletown ar	7 00	11 05	6 22	11 02
Middletown lv	7 45	11 45	7 15	....
Fallsburgh	9 15	12 50	8 20	12 02
Hurleyville	....	12 56	8 26	a 12 11
Liberty Falls	....	1 01	8 31	m12 25
Liberty	9 40	1 05	8 35	12 32
Parksville	....	1 14	8 44	m12 44
Livingston Manor	10 05	1 20	8 50	1 00
Rockland	10 20	1 35	9 05	1 14
Hancock Junc	10 40	1 55	9 25	1 35
Walton	10 55	2 10	9 40	1 55
Delhi ar	....	2 55	10 25	2 40
Sidney	11 50	3 50	11 20	3 35
New Berlin	....	4 15	11 45	4 00
Mt Vernon	....	4 30	12 00	4 15
Utica	1 30	5 30	1 00	5 15
Rome	2 10	6 10	1 40	5 55
Clinton	2 40	6 40	2 10	6 25
Oneida	3 05	7 05	2 35	6 50
Syracuse	3 45	7 45	3 15	7 30
Oswego	5 30	9 30	5 00	9 15

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	1 Atlantic Exp	3 New York Exp	14 Del Rx	10 Day Ex	12 Mixed	16 Mixed
Oswego lv	....	7 00	....	....	....	....
Oneida	....	....	....	....	....	....
Oneid' Castle	....	....	....	....	....	....
Norwich	10 45	10 45	....	....	....	....
New Berlin	4 45	....	9 15	....	....	....
Sidney	11 30	....	11 50	....	....	....
Delhi lv	....	....	12 30	....	....	....
Walton	12 45	....	1 45	....	....	....
Hancock Jct	1 00	....	2	....	....	....
Rockland	1 20	....	....	....	....	....
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Summitville	4 50	....	5 10	....	....	....
Wurtsboro	....	....	5 18	....	....	....
Bloom'g Grove	5 14	....	5 33	....	....	....
Winterton	....	....	5 37	....	....	....
Mt Vernon ar	5 55	....	5 55	....	....	....
Mt Vernon lv	6 45	....	7 05	....	....	....
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Stony Ford	....	....	....	....	....	....
Campbell Hall	....	....	....	....	....	....
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Pkin St	....	....	....	....	....	....

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

f Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers

n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

† Stop for meals.

Trains leave Hancock Junction 5 00 a. m. and 2 00 p m, for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 11 05 a. m. and 8 10 p m for Hancock Junction

Trains leaves Summitville for Ellenville 9 50 and 11 25, a m. 3 50, and 6 35 p m

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 6 45 and 9 50 a. m, 3 10 and 6 05 p m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 25 a. m, 5 15 p m Sunday only 9 00 a m

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8 15 a. m., 2 30 and 8 50 p m. Sunday only 8 30 a m

Trains leave Sidney for New Berlin and Mt Vernon 12 10, 2 15 and 7 50 p m

Trains leave Edmeston for Sidney 7 30 and 9 30 a. m, and 4 40 p m.

Trains leave Randallsville for Utica 6 45 and 10 45 a m, 2 30 and 5 17 p m

Trains leave Utica for Randallsville 7 15 and 8 15 a m, 4 45 and 7 40 p m.

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Trains leave Clinton for Rome 11 45 a m. and 6 15 p m.

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TIME TABLE.

Adopted Nov. 19th, 1893.

Eastern Time.	12	10	16	98	5	97	13	1	17	11	93	15	19	99	7	89	9	91
Leave NEW YORK																		
Arrive	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Paterson																		
Turners																		
Monroe																		
Greycourt																		
Chester																		
Goshen	4 45	5 05	6 19	6 40	6 40	7 00	7 00	7 45	8 15	8 40	8 40	9 00	9 00	9 20	9 20	9 40	10 40	11 00
Middletown																		
Howells																		
Otisville																		
Port Jervis	6 00	6 20	7 35	7 55	7 55	8 15	8 15	8 55	9 30	9 55	9 55	10 15	10 15	10 35	10 35	10 55	11 55	12 15
East Time. Ar.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Leave CHICAGO																		
Cent. Time. Ar.																		

Eastern Time.	2	6	30	8 Spec	18 Spec	14	1	17
Leave NEW YORK								
Arrive	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Paterson								
Turners								
Monroe								
Greycourt								
Chester								
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Middletown								
Howells								
Otisville								
Port Jervis	6 55	8 30	9 10	8 15	8 15	12 50	1 40	9 40
East Time. Ar.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Leave CHICAGO								
Cent. Time. Ar.								

*Daily. ‡Sundays only. †Except Sunday. b, Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch.—Leave Main st, Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11 40 a. m. daily, and 6 55 p. m. daily.

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7 27 a. m., except Sunday, 11 20 a. m. daily, 6 35 p. m. except Sunday.

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11 20 a. m. daily, 6 50 p. m. daily.

Newburgh, via Turners — Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7 40 a. m., except Sunday, 10 53 a. m. daily, and 8 10 p. m. daily. Train 30 connects for Newburgh via Arden instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7 45 a m. except Sunday, 11 10 a. m. daily, 1 32 p. m. except Sunday, 6 50 p. m. Sundays only.

Trains Nos 11, 16, 18, 21, 25, 26, 28, 30, 33 and Sunday Specials 601, 606, 650 stop at Main street, Middletown.

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SHOTS HERE AND THERE.

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

The Electric Railroad Extension—Don't Block the Way of Progress Publicity the Best Detective—Fancy Dress Suits—The Mistake of an Ancient Roman.

It is unfortunate for Middletown, Goshen and the Electric Railway Co., that so many obstacles are thrown in the way of the extension of the road. The cars ought to be running to the State Hospital now and the work of construction should be well on the way to Goshen. The company proposes to give Middletown and Goshen a fine park on the banks of the Wallkill, that would be appreciated by citizens of both places, but if the present opposition does not cease, and that very soon, we will have no park on the Wallkill, this summer, and the old style wagons will carry the crowds to the Hospital grounds.

Certainly Middletowners, after having had experience with the electric cars, should not lay a single stone in the way of the extension of the lines. The section of the town that is not reached by the cars will soon be out stripped by others, in which citizens are more progressive, and it may be then too late to catch up with the procession.

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Chief Murphy has this to say about newspaper publicity regarding the capture of Bernhardt Altenberger the murderer of Katie Rupp: "The manner of his capture goes to prove that one of my pet detective theories is correct. I have always believed that publicity is the best detective. It is chiefly due to the newspapers that this man was taken so quickly." A pointer for those in authority, who try to shut the reporters off in matters of this character.

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Mr. Chas. H. Emde exhibits in his show window a fashion plate of three full dress suits which were worn by three celebrated New York tailors at the banquet of the tailors' convention, held in Pittsburg, Pa., last February. The coats were of red, blue and black velvet respectively, with knee breeches of corresponding colors in silk. Fancy vests of polka dot and check designs, silk stockings and low shoes with large buckles, rounded out the costumes. It is not thought that the style will appear in Middletown next season.

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Goshen is already beginning to derive some benefit from the Middletown-Goshen Traction Company's electric railway. A well known farmer residing between Goshen and Middletown, while in one of our stores a few days since, remarked that heretofore he had done his trading in both places, but that hereafter he would do it all in Goshen, giving as a reason that he hadn't a horse on his place that he would be willing to drive past a trolley car on Middletown's narrow streets.—*Goshen Independent Republican.*

The above reminds me of a little story which is found in a rare but very interesting work entitled "Mistakes of Ancient Romans." The narrative runs as follows. A well known farmer residing on the Appian Way, who had done his trading in Rome and a little Calabrian village, remarked one day, after the erection of Trajan's Pillar, that hereafter he would do all his trading in the village, for he hadn't a jackass on his place that he would be willing to drive past that architectural monstrosity in Rome's narrow streets. A few years later the well known farmer had no farm, and no jackass to drive anywhere. The difference in prices between the Roman city and the little Calabrian village was so great, that, after transferring his trade from Rome, the village shopkeepers consumed all his substance.

HIDDEN UNDER A BED

An Italian Wife Beater Dragged from His Place of Concealment.

An Italian, Elie Jennings, was a prisoner in Police Court, this morning, charged by his wife with maltreating and abusing her. The latter applied for a warrant, Saturday night last, but was told to come again, Monday. Jennings heard of her action and disappeared. He came home again last evening and proceeded to make things lively and interesting for his wife, and to add force to his arguments, used a pick-handle and his fists, with the result that Mrs. J. applied a second time for a warrant, her face disfigured by a very black eye.

A warrant was issued and an officer went to the Jennings homestead, where, after a prolonged search, the wife beater was found secreted under a bed.

Mrs. Jennings failed to appear against her husband, and the hearing was adjourned to 2 p. m. Jennings was returned to the lockup and as he expected, Officer Wilson soon afterwards saw the woman talking to her husband through the bars and lost no time in placing her behind them.

This afternoon, Mrs. Jennings withdrew her complaint and Jennings was required to pay the costs, which amounted to $[illegible].

Stolen from the Armory.

Officers of the 21st Separate Company are investigating the loss of $7.60, belonging to the ammunition fund of the company, which has been stolen from a box in the basement of the armory where it was kept by Armorer Rose.

ASKED TO SELL LOTTERY TICKETS.

Many Middletowners Asked to Become Agents for the Louisiana Lottery.

A dozen or more Middletowners received by express from Kansas City, Mo., a few days ago, packages containing fifty Louisiana lottery tickets. With the tickets was a request that the recipient act as agent for the company, which was supplemented by a delicate intimation that, since all that was necessary to awaken interest in the lottery in Middletown was to have a big prize drawn here, all that would be necessary was for the person receiving the tickets to buy them himself or sell them, and the company would see that a big prize came to Middletown. It is to be hoped that no one was foolish enough to bite at such a clumsily baited hook.

THE WOODBURY ROAD CASE.

The General Term Reverses the Decision of the Lower Court and Orders a New Trial.

The General Term has rendered a decision in the Woodbury road case reversing the decision of the court below, which dismissed the complaint of E. H. Harriman against the Highway Commissioners of the town.

The suit grew out of an attempt of the Highway Commissioners to make a public highway of a private road through Mr. Harriman's lands.

The lower court held that the road had been used by the public over twenty years and under the law it becomes a highway.

Judge Dykman, however, gives the opinion that it was never a roadway, that it is private land and the taking of it for highway purposes in the manner the commissioners did, amounted practically to confiscation and ordered a new trial granted with costs to attend the event.

A MISTAKE SOMEWHERE.

A Port Jervis Merchant Sued for the Value of Goods Which He Says He Never Received.

The wholesale jewelry firm of Friedman & Aschiem, of New York, have brought suit against Jeweler Rockwell, of Port Jervis, to recover $96, the value of goods alleged to have been sent to Rockwell by express. Mr. Rockwell says he never received the goods and never ordered the goods described. On the other hand the New York firm has Mr. Rockwell's receipt to the express company for a package on that date. There is evidently a big mistake somewhere.

DRAGGED BY A TRAIN.

Miraculous Escape of a Boy and Horse from Apparently Certain Death.

From the Kingston Leader.

A boy named Robert Post had a very narrow escape from death at the Delaware avenue crossing of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad, at a late hour on Monday afternoon. Young Post was sitting in a buggy and as he neared the crossing heard the approach of the down train, and brought the horse to a halt. As the last car was crossing Delaware avenue the animal became unmanageable and dashed against it. The rear step caught in the running gear of the wagon and the horse, wagon and boy were dragged into the rock cut at that point, which is quite narrow and extends a distance of from 75 to 100 feet. As the train slowly made its way through the cut the vehicle was completely wrecked, although the boy and horse escaped injury, save a few cuts and bruises received by the animal.

Free Christian Church Sociable.

The Ladies Social Circle of the Free Christian Church will hold its regular monthly sociable, this evening, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Galen Coleman, 23 Academy avenue. An unusually pleasant time is expected. There will be music, games and various other amusements. Light refreshments will be served by the ladies, who want to see every member of the Circle present, and hope they will make an extra effort to attend. Strangers will be especially welcome. Admission is free.

A Burglar's Bold Dash for Liberty.

Frank Codd, arrested in Paterson, for burglary, while being photographed for the rogues' gallery, yesterday, jumped through the glass side of the photograph gallery, to the ground below, a distance of thirty-five feet. He was cut and bruised but not seriously injured. He was recaptured before he could pick himself up and get away.

Pay Your Water Rents Now.

The Board of Water Commissioners has issued notices to the effect that water rents are now due and payable. Rents not paid on or before June 10th will be subjected to a charge of an additional ten per cent. The clerk's office will be open daily from 9 a. m. until 3 p. m.

For torpid liver and all other conditions resulting from constipation, go by the book on Beecham's pills. Book free, pills 25c. At drugstores; or write to B F Allen Co, 365 Canal st, New York.

IN NEW QUARTERS.

The Ribbon Factory Again in Operation—The Business Outlook Encouraging.

The ribbon factory of Selmer & Co. is now in new quarters in George Dorrance's building—the old hat shop on North street. The looms and other machinery are all in place and twelve of the looms are in operation and the other thirteen will be just as soon as weavers can be secured to run them.

Mr. Selmer says the business outlook is excellent and every loom in the factory would now be running on full time but for the strike among silk weavers. There were plenty of weavers who would gladly have accepted work but the strikers would not allow them. The strike is now at an end, however, and there will be no difficulty in getting help.

Some idea of the extent of the output of this factory may be had when it is known that each loom weaves at the same time eighteen pieces of ribbon and when all are in operation 450 pieces will be under way at the same time.

Mr. Selmer is much pleased with his new quarters. He has the whole of the second and third floors, with ample storage room besides. The rooms are lighter and better ventilated than the old ones, and on the whole the change was a wise one.

A Mother's Grief

Over the Loss of a Darling Boy—Health Broken Down

Nervous Spells, Sleeplessness, Backache—Perfectly Cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Mrs. Jessie Wood
Patchogue, N. Y.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has done much for me. After I lost my only boy by a sad drowning accident I was seized with severe nervous spells. I tried all kinds of medicines and was treated by doctors for over a year without any benefit. My feet and hands swelled, and I

Was Unable to Sleep.

I grew weak and could hardly walk. I had severe pains in my back and my kidneys troubled me. At last, noticing a case similar to mine cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, I was induced to try the medicine, and it has been

A Great Boon to Me.

I commenced to take Hood's Sarsaparilla last October and have taken over nine bottles. I am now a well woman. All the aches and pains are gone and I am no longer subject to nervous fits. I sleep well all night and never felt better in my life. It is all due to Hood's Sarsaparilla, of which I cannot say too much in favor." Mrs. JESSIE WOOD, Patchogue, Long Island, N. Y.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, and do not purge, pain or gripe. Sold by all druggists.

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CLAY PIGEON Shoot, at W. D. STEELE'S, Saturday at 3 o'clock. Plenty of clay pigeons for all who want to shoot. 1t*

DULL Times bring the prices of Hammocks, Oil Stoves and Housefurnishing Goods cheap at DAYTON'S 31dtf*

AUCTION, to night, at Todd's Crockery, Jewelry, Silverware, etc. All must be sold to highest bidder 1t* B. F. TODD, 119 North street

FOR SALE—A two seated carriage, canopy top, newly painted a bargain 31d* Apply at 5 Cottage street.

WANTED—A Cook, no washing. Good pay to right party. Apply at 32 West Main street. 30dtf*

SALESMEN Wanted—Free pay and outfit. One of our agents has earned over $20,000 in five years. P. O. Box 1171, New York 30d3t*

FOR Sale on account of being overstocked—Colts and fillies by Millionaire and other good sires; also three Shetland ponies and several good road horses. RODGERS & ROWE, Hollycrest farm, Unionville 30d3t

NEW and second-hand Bicycles, all makes, at cut prices. Tell me what you want and how much you will pay. Warrenmus 28 Greenwich avenue, New York city. Middletown address P. O. Box 37. 29dim June5 G. W. CUSHMAN

GOOD and large garden to rent or let on shares. Apply at this office.

LAGG Ball Scores at "The Palm," each night 25-16t

ICE Cream at Ontario and Western Restaurant. Electric cars pass the door. 29d6t*

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business. Enquire at Gallt Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot.

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues. Board at reasonable rates. Commercial $1.50 per day 1d

FIFTY BUILDING LOTS situate on Beacon street and Berkham and Watkins avenues. Get off of the electric cars at North and Wisner Avenue, go west two and three blocks, turn to the south and tell me is there any finer location to build up a home in this or any other city? S. S. FERGUSON, Central Building

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ANY Description of Leather Pocket Case of cover manufactured at Bookbindery of McINTYRE 37 North street. Thtf

ONE of the Police Gazette, Sporting, Daily or Sunday New York Papers of BRAKES, the News Dealer, 3 Roberts St. 89dtf

FOR Rent—A good barn. 87dtf 24 Benton avenue.

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue. Lot 55x150. For further particulars enquire at No 53 East avenue. 86dtf

REGULAR Boarders wanted. First class table and good rooms—$16 per month, or $4 per week, or 20 cents per meal. Transients accommodated. HOTEL MUSBACH, corner Railroad and Beattie avenues 17d1mJul

NORTH River Shad received to day at HANFORD'S Market. Cheap. The seal's will fly at 6 p. m. sharp.

EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, Insurance and Real Estate. Collections made. Loans negotiated. No. 16 East Main street.

LADIES, Think of This. On receipt of postal card, CRAIG, the Shoemaker, will call at any city address for repairing and deliver shoes same day if required. No extra charge. No. 22 WEST MAIN ST.

$4,000 WANTED on bond and mortgage, gilt edge, 6 per cent. B. F. CHADSEY, Attorney. 67dtf Trust Building, city.

THE ORANGE COUNTY ROOFING CO. have given their customers entire satisfaction. They sell and put on the celebrated Climax Roofing and Asphalt-Wool Felt, suitable for laying either over roof-boards or old shingles. They also sell and use the celebrated Ebonite Varnish, which has no equal as a paint for tin roofs. Office No. 6 East Main street. 95d&wfmNov5 Middletown, N. Y.

A Handsome Complexion
Is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

HELP WANTED.

MANAGER WANTED to appoint salesmen to sell the Rapid Dish Washer. Washes and dries the dishes in two minutes without wetting the fingers. $15 a week and all expenses. Easy position; no capital, no hard work; can make $100 a week. Address W. P. HARRISON & CO., 5 Clerk No. 24, Columbus, Ohio.

NEW TO-DAY.

Points on Economy

FROM THE

ECONOMY STORE!

Shirts and Skirt Waists — A boy's every day waist at 19c., a better at 28c.; a fine one at 32c., worth 25 per cent. more. A nice Ladies' Skirt Waist at 27c., fine English Percale Ladies' Shirt Waist at 52c, extra quality Garner Sateen Shirt Waist at 99c., selling elsewhere in our city at $1.35. Men's Working Shirts 18, 32, 37, 40, 45c; fine striped Black Sateen Shirt at 42c. Unlaundered Shirts 37c., reinforced; N. Y. mills muslin 2,100 linen bosom, first-class work, 57c, worth 75c.; collars-cuffs Laundered Shirts at low figures, 25 pieces 40 to 45 inch White Skirt Flouncing at ½ value. We are leaders in Hosiery. Our entirely new method of dealing with fancy prices has created an army of economists. Are you one of them?

HOPKINS,

114 North St.

THE NEW YORK STORE,

63 North St., Next to Postoffice.

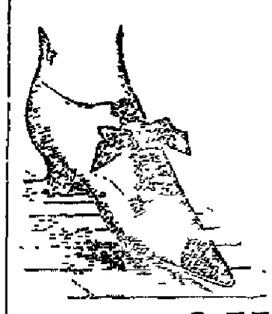
FRIDAY.

SPECIAL SALE OF Handkerchiefs and Hosiery.

One lot of Ladies' Fine Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 25c., for this sale..... 11c.
One lot of Gentlemen's Fine Hem Stitch Handkerchiefs, worth 25c., for this sale.. 11c.
One lot of Ladies' Fast Black, drop stitch, Ribbed Hose, sizes 8 1-2, 9 and 9 1-2c., worth 25c., for this sale..... 11c.
Also a fine assortment of Black and White Silk Laces, Bourdon, Italian, Point d'Islande, Torchon, Valenciennes, Point Appliqué, Oriental and Dentelle Nikita at very low prices.

THE NEW YORK STORE,

Cash Fancy Goods House of Middletown.



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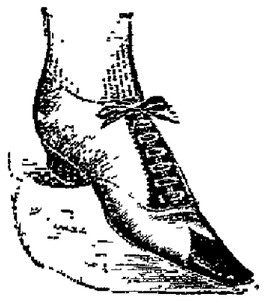
Black and Tan



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at 75c., $1 00 $1 25 $1 50, $1.75, $2 00, $2.25, $2.50, $2.75. Follow the footprints to

C. D. HANFORD'S, 43 NORTH STREET.

OIL CLOTH!

When in need of any of these goods, from a yard to a roll, bear in mind that the place to get them is at the

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"Prices are Right."

MATTHEWS & CO.

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PARK OBESITY PILLS will reduce your weight PERMANENTLY from 12 to 15 pounds a month. NO STARVING, sickness or injury. NO PUBLICITY. They build up the health and beautify the complexion leaving NO WRINKLES or flabbiness. STOUT ABDOMENS and difficult breathing surely relieved. NO EXPERIMENT but a scientific and positive relief, adopted only after years of experience. All orders supplied direct from our office. Price $2 per package or three packages for $5, by mail, postpaid. Testimonials and particulars (sealed) 2 cents. All Correspondence Strictly Confidential.

PARK REMEDY CO., Boston, Mass.
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INTEREST ON TIME DEPOSITS.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

By order Board of Directors.
16d&wtf SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier.

REMOVAL.

W. Wing Sing, of 11 Depot street, will remove, Monday, to No 10 West Main street, where he will carry on his laundry business on a more extensive scale. Will call and deliver laundry. W. WING SING.
4d1mMay16 10 West Main street.

JAMES T. KING,

Druggist and Pharmacist,

CORNER MAIN AND SOUTH STS.

PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES. CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO COMPOUNDING PRESCRIPTIONS

IMPERIAL FLOUR.

In half barrel sacks $3.90 per barrel.
In wood $4.00 per barrel

Fresh Eggs 14c. a Dozen

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C. N. PREDMORE & SON'S.

"ADAMANT" WALL PLASTER!

The New, Cheap Substitute for Common Plaster.

It is very hard and very adhesive; it does away with the warping and shrinkage of doors and sashes, and the building is not saturated with water, as it necessarily must be when common plaster is used; it costs originally but little more than lime plaster, and in the superior qualities make it immeasurably cheaper; it saves waiting several weeks or months for the buildings to dry out; it does not crack or fall off, even in the case of leakage; it is applied easily by any good plasterer; it is the only material with which repairing can be done neatly and "to stay."

I. B. A. TAYLOR & CO.,

NO. 30 WEST MAIN ST., MIDDLETOWN

STRAWS

Tell which Way the Wind Blows

Straw Hats indicate the advent of summer breezes. Both are here. A lively trade wind has blown our way and enables us to place on sale, this morning, in our Boys' Department, 25 dozen Boys' Straw Hats at 25 cents each. You must get a HURRICANE movement on if you want any. Our Ladies' Sailors, in all colors, are disappearing very rapidly. If you want good goods, good workmanship and your hat trimmed immediately come to us, for we are headquarters. Writing Paper in all the latest styles.

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